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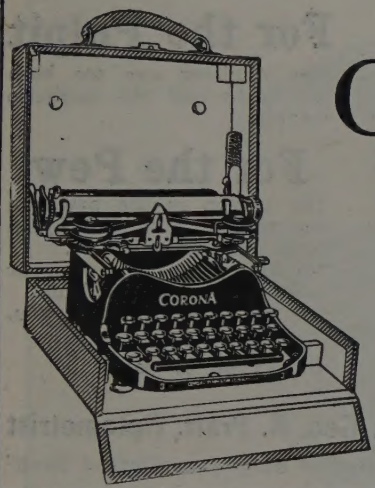

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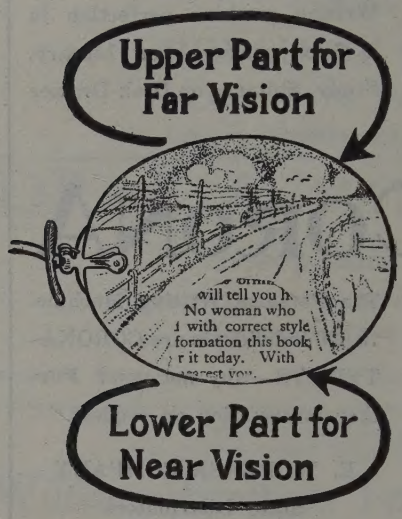

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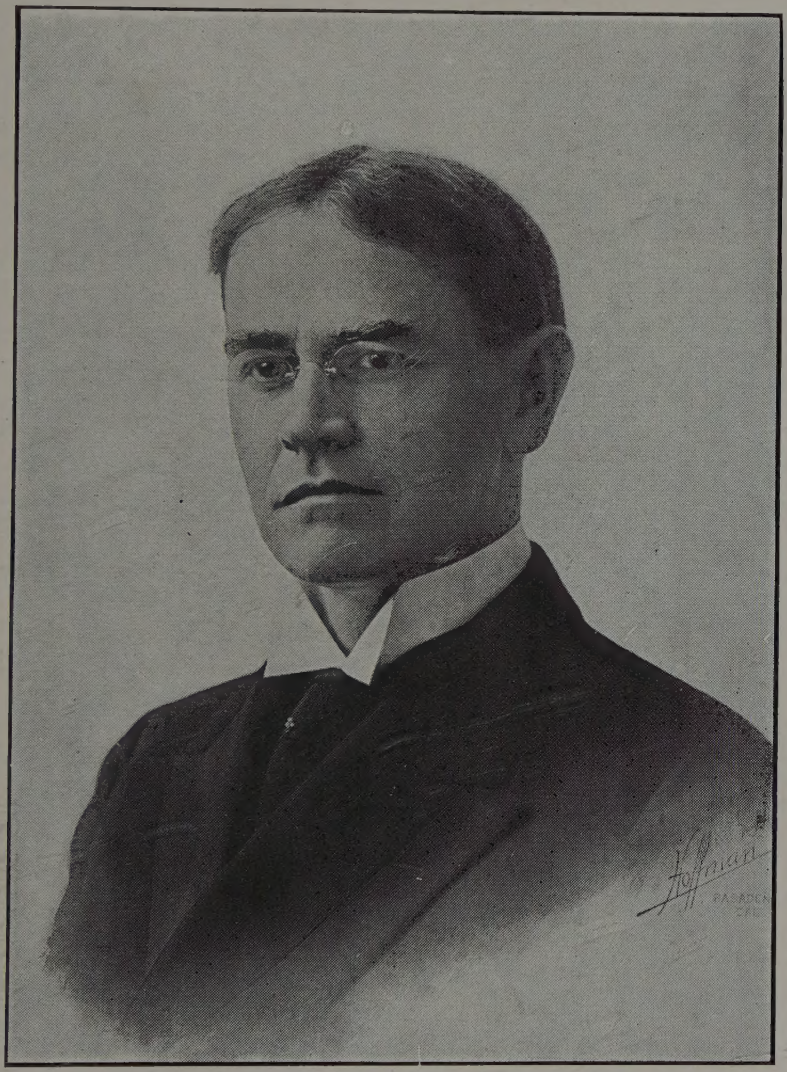

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Rules of Order

1. The Conference session shall open each day at 8:30 a. m. and close at 11:45 a. m., the devotional services to be under the direction of the Bishop.

2. The President shall take the chair at precisely the hour to which the Conference stood adjourned, and after devotions shall have the minutes of the previous session read and approved.

3. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to appeal to the Conference; but in case of an appeal the question shall be taken without debate. Provided, that after the President shall have stated the reason for his decision, the appellant may give the grounds of his appeal.

4. The President shall appoint all committees not otherwise ordered by the Conference.

5. All motions and resolutions shall be reduced to writing if the President, Secretary or any member requests it.

6. No motion shall be considered unless seconded.

7. When a motion is made and stated by the Chair, a resolution offered or a report read, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference.

8. No new motion or resolution shall be made until the one under consideration is disposed of, which may be done by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following should intervene, which motion shall have precedence in the following order, viz.:

(1) The previous question.
(2) Indefinite postponement.
(3) To lay on the table.
(4) To refer to a committee.
(5) To postpone to a given time
(6) To amend.
(7) To substitute.
(8) To recommit.

9. Every speaker on any subject shall rise and address the President, and shall not be interrupted while speaking, unless he departs from the rules and decorum of the Conference.

10. No member shall be permitted to speak more than ten minutes at any one time, nor more than once on the same question, until all have spoken who desire, unless leave be granted by the Conference, which shall be decided by vote without debate.

11. Any member shall have the right to state a question of privilege, raise a point of order and make an explanation when he considers his arguments have been misrepresented by another.

12. When speaking, each member shall have due regard for the feelings of his brethren by avoiding irritating language and personal reflections.

13. The yeas and nays may be taken on any motion on the call of one-third of the members present.

14. When any measure shall have been adopted, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority to move a reconsideration.

15. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order and shall be decided without debate, unless it shall be for adjournment to a fixed time.

16. No member shall absent himself from the Conference without leave, unless he be sick or otherwise unable to attend.

17. The bar of the Conference shall be fixed by vote, and no member outside the bar will be permitted to vote on any question, and all members inside the bar shall vote upon all questions, unless they are excused by the Conference.

18. Visitors who address the Conference by permission shall not be permitted to speak more than ten minutes without unanimous consent.

19. All expressions of approval or disapproval during the progress of debate shall be deemed a breach of order.

20. In case an executive session be ordered, only members in full connection shall be permitted to sit therein, except by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting.

21. These rules of order shall not be altered or suspended except by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting.

General Rules

1. The Presiding Bishop is respectfully requested not to transfer into our Conference more men than are transferred out; not to bring men to places within our bounds without careful and equitable adjustment for all; but this rule shall not be contrued to the injury of our developing work or so as to embarrass the authorities in providing for new work.

2. All changes involving conference relations, as well as all candidates for admission on trial, readmission, admission upon credentials from other churches and for admission into full membership, shall be referred to a committee on Conference Relations; and no such change of relations shall be granted, nor any such candidate admitted, until such committee shall have made its report.

3. Whenever the Conference is to consider the admission on trial or reception into full connection of any brother, it shall go into executive session, (when necessary) said session to convene Friday at 1:30 p. m.

4. No candidate shall be admitted on trial into this Conference who is over 40 years of age.

5. All committees or societies to whom are committed matters requiring anniversary or other public service shall provide the program for such service.

6. Members are strictly forbidden to remain in the vestibule during the devotional exercises.

7. The roll of our honored dead shall be called immediately after the regular roll call in the presence of the Conference standing.

8. At the close of each Conference session the District Superintendents shall appoint a Committee on Memoirs, composed of one member from each district and one from the Conference at large, which shall be placed upon the list of standing committees. Each District Superintendent shall report to his committee the death of any minister or wife, or children of any minister, which may occur in his District. The chairman of this committee shall note the death of any member of the Conference or the wife of any such member, and then confer with the members of the committee. The memorial service shall be held immediately after the roll call of our honored dead. It shall consist of usual devotional exercises and an address of twenty minutes in length by some member of the Conference named by

the committee in charge. The Committee on Memoirs shall have full control of the Conference memorial service.

9. The General Educational Collection shall be applied to the Endowment Fund of Willamette University, unless otherwise ordered by a vote of the Conference, and delivered to the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees.

10. The Secretary of the Conference shall keep a journal of the proceedings, and when approved, the printed minutes shall be the official record of the Conference. He shall take charge of the journals and all Conference papers, keep them safe and have them forwarded to the place of Conference sessions.

11. It shall be the duty of the Conference Treasurer to place in the hands of the Conference Claimants present, and to send to those absent, drafts for the amount due them from the funds of the Conference provided for that purpose, as shown by the report of the Conference Board of Stewards.

12. No person shall be advanced in his studies in the Conference course of study who is conditioned upon more than one study.

13. The President shall provide for closing up the business of the final session of the Annual Conference that due and sufficient time shall be given for proper devotional services just preceding the reading of the appointments, that no unseemly haste or disorder at such time be manifest.

14. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to publish these rules in the Conference Journal.

15. These general and standing rules shall not be altered or suspended except by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting.

Rules for Travelling Preachers Course of Study

1. All written work, including sermon, to be in the hands of the proper examiner at the close of the midyear examinations, and not later than one month before Conference.

2. Examinations will be in connection with the Ministerial Associations or District Conferences for midyear work, and also between July 1st and August 15th. Completion of work the day before Conference.

3. All credits from recoginzed institutions must be presented to the Chairman.

4. When a student fails to attain 70% in any examination, the Examiner shall report this to the student and refer him to the Chairman of the Board to arrange for re-examination.

5. All grades are to be reported promptly to the Registrar, and also to the student.

6. Any student not appearing for any examinations for two full Conference years, unless students in some of our institutions of learning, shall be reported to the Annual Conference for consideration of their case.

7. A fee of $1.00 per year is required of each student to defray the necessary expenses of examinations, and must be paid before the examinations are begun.

8. The officers of the Board of Examiners are: W. J. Douglass, chairman.

EXAMINERS	SCHEDULE OF EXAMINATION				
	Admission	First Year	Second Year	Third Year	Fourth Year
W. J. Douglass	CHAIRMAN				
L. C. Poor		New Testament History			
D. Lester Fields			Way to Win		
G. H. Feese	Life of John Wesley				
W. S. Gordon	English Language	Making the Sermon			
J. K. Hawkins	American History				
D. H. Leech				Socialism & Modern Soc. Problems. Soc'l Institutions & Ideal of Bible	
A. R. Maclean	Doctrine and Discipline				
G. O. Oliver	Plain Account				System of Christian Doctrine
E. C. Richards		Human Behaviour			Every Day Ethics
G. H. Parkinson			Dictionary Bible. Bible in Making. How we Got our Bible.		
C. L. Dark			History of Christian Ch.		
J. C. Spencer			Pupil and Teacher. Graded Sunday School.		
R. E. Dunlap				Beacon Lights of Prophecy	
Jos. Knotts					New Home Missions. Soc'l Aspects of Foreign Missions
M. T. Wire	Sermon				Paul and His Epistles
A. S. Hisey				Introduction to study of Comparative Religion	
F. N. Sandifur		How to Study and Teach How		Foundations of Christian Belief	
W. R. Jeffrey, Jr.	Paper on Bible Character				
Edwin Sherwood	in charge of examinaionts at Kimball				

Examiner for Local Deacons Orders.....A. R. Maclean. For Local Elders Orders.....R. E. Dunlap.

SESSIONS OF THE CONFERENCE

Date		Place	Presding Officer	Secretar
Year	Month			
*1849	Sept. 5	Salem	Wm. Roberts	J. H. Wilbur
*1850	Sept. 4	Oregon City	Wm. Roberts	"
*1851	Sept. 3	Salem	Wm. Roberts	F. S. Hoy
*1852	Sept. 2	Portland	Wm. Roberts	"
1853	Mar. 17	Salem	E. R. Ames	"
1854	Mar. 16	Belknap Settlement	M. Simpson	Wm. Roberts
1855	Aug. 1	Oregon City	O. C. Baker	"
1856	Sept. 17	Portland	Levi Scott	"
1857	Aug. 13	Corvallis	E. S. Janes	"
1858	Aug. 11	Salem	Levi Scott	H. K. Hines
1859	Aug. 10	Albany	O. C. Baker	I. Dillon
1860	Aug. 22	Portland	E. R. Ames	Wm. Roberts
1861	Aug. 7	Eugene	C. S. Kingsley	"
1862	Aug. 6	Vancouver, Wash	M. Simpson	"
1863	Aug. 12	Lebanon	E. S. Janes	"
1864	Aug. 18	Salem	D. W. Clark	C. C. Stratton
1865	Aug. 10	Olympia, Wash	Jas. H. Wilbur	"
1866	Aug. 8	Albany	E. C. Benson	"
1867	Aug. 7	Portland	E. Thompson	"
1868	Aug. 13	Salem	Levi Scott	"
1869	Aug. 5	Eugene	C. Kingsley	"
1870	Aug. 25	Vancouver, Wash	E. R. Ames	"
1871	Aug. 9	First Church, Portland	E. S. Janes	Wm. Roberts
1872	Aug. 29	Salem	R. S. Foster	H. K. Hines
1873	Sept. 3	Olympia, Wash	J. T. Peck	"
1874	Aug. 12	First Church, Portland	S. F. Merrill	L. M. Nickerson
1875	Aug. 11	Salem	J. T. Peck	John T. Wolfe
1876	Aug. 23	Albany	Wm. Harris	"
1877	Aug. 29	Seattle, Wash	Thos. Bowman	"
1878	Aug. 28	Salem	E. G. Andrews	"
1879	Aug. 20	First Church, Portland	Gilbert Haven	"
1880	Aug. 19	Eugene	I. W. Wiley	"
1881	Aug. 29	East Portland	W. L. Harris	"
1882	Aug. 23	Albany	J. F. Hurst	"
1883	Aug. 22	Vancouver, Wash	Henry Warren	"
1884	Aug. 27	Salem	Chas. Fowler	"
1885	Aug. 26	Roseburg	J. M. Walden	"
1886	Aug. 26	Forest Grove	Wm. L. Harris	"
1887	Aug. 31	Grace Church, Portland	R. S. Foster	"
1888	Aug. 30	Eugene	W. X. Ninde	John Parsons
1889	Aug. 28	First Church, Portland	Thos. Bowman	"
1890	Aug. 21	Grants Pass	John T. Newman	"
1891	Aug. 19	Salem	J. M. Fitzgerald	"
1892	Aug. 25	Portland	J. M. Walden	"
1893	Aug. 23	Albany	D. A. Goodsell	John N. Denison
1894	Sept. 19	Eugene	Isaac W. Joyce	"
1895	Sept. 25	First Church, Portland	Thomas Bowman	"
1896	Sept. 23	Roseburg	Earl Cranston	Cyrus A. Lewis
1897	Sept. 9	Corvallis	Cyrus D. Foss	"
1898	Sept. 14	McMinnville	C. C. McCabe	
1899	Sept. 20	Salem	John H. Vincent	
1900	Sept. 19	Ashland	E. G Andrews	
1901	Sept. 25	Hillsboro	W. F. Mallalieu	
1902	Sept. 25	Grants Pass	Earl Cranston	"
1903	Sept. 30	Salem	J. W. Hamilton	"
1904	Sept. 28	Eugene	Henry Spellmeyer	"
1905	Sept. 20	Albany	W. F. McDowell	"
1906	Sept. 26	Sunnyside, Portland	H. W. Warren	"
1897	Sept. 25	Grace Church, Portland	David H. Moore	Melville T. Wire
1908	Sept. 23	First Church, Salem	Edwin H. Hughes	"
1909	Sept. 15	Cottage Grove	Charles W. Smith	C. C. Rarick
1910	Sept. 21	Hillsboro	Charles W. Smith	"
1911	Sept. 20	Salem	Charles W. Smith	"
1912	Sept. 18	Ashland	R. J. Cooke	"
1913	Sept. 24	Eugene	R. J. Cooke	"
1914	Sept. 23	Centenary Ch., Portland	R. J. Cooke	"
1915	Sept. 22	Roseburg	R. J. Cooke	"
1916	Sept. 27	Lebanon	Matt S. Hughes	"

*Oregon and California Conference.

In Memoriam

"Blessed Are the Dead Which Die In the Lord"

NAME	DECEASED		Com'ncd Traveling	
	WHEN	WHERE	When	WHERE
N. S. McAllister..	Sep 26 1860	Albany, Oregon.....	1857	Oregon.....
T. B. Sanderson...	1865	.....	1857	Oregon.....
W. S. Lewis.....	Dec. 1 1865	The Dalles, Oregon...	1856	Ohio.....
W. B. Ellsworth .	1865	La Grande, Oregon...	1856	Oregon.....
John Tindall.....	Nov. 1 1867	Umatilla, Oregon.....	1866	Oregon.....
D. Leslie.....	Mar. 1 1869	.....	....	New England..
Wm. Royal.....	Sep. 29 1870	Salem, Oregon.....	1831	Illinois.....
J. G. Deardorf....	May 31 1872	Ft. Simcoe, Wash....	1865	Oregon.....
A. F. Waller.....	Dec. 26 1872	Salem, Oregon.....	1832	Genessee.....
G. Hines.....	August 1874	Salem, Oregon.....	1832	Genessee.....
N. Rounds.....	Jan. 2 1874	Clark Co., Wash.....	1831	Oneida.....
L. T. Woodward..	1876	.....	1850	North Indiana.
S. H. Mann.....	Mar. 15 1876	Brownsville, Oregon..	1865	Oregon.....
N. A. Starr.....	Aug. 29 1881	Springfield, Oregon...	1854	Oregon.....
H. C. Jenkins.....	Jan. 7 1883	Halsey, Oregon.....	1866	Oregon.....
J. W. York.....	Feb. 19 1884	Corvallis, Oregon....	1826	Missouri.....
John Spencer.....	Jun 30 1885	McMinville, Oregon..	1828	Pittsburg.....
H. Patterson.....	Sep. 7 1886	Hillsboro, Oregon....	1867	Oregon.....
T. L. Sails.....	Feb. 26 1888	McMinville, Oregon..	1874	Oregon.....
J. T. Wolfe.....	July 24 1888	Corvallis, Oregon....	1865	Oregon.....
W. M. Roberts....	Aug. 22 1888	Dayton, Oregon.....	1834	Philadelphia...
L. M. Nickerson..	Sep. 12 1888	Crafton, California...	....	Oneida.....
Wm. Helm.....	Jan. 23 1890	Portland, Oregon.....	1822	Kentucky.....
H. P. Satchwell...	Feb. 1 1894	Newberg, Oregon.....	1859	New England..
Josiah L. Parrish..	1895	Salem, Oregon.....	1855	Oregon.....
John H. Roork....	Feb. 18 1895	Salem, Oregon.....	1869	Oregon.....
Hiram P. Webb...	Aug. 23 1895	Sellwood, Oregon....	1883	Oregon.....
Albert N. McCart.	May 1896	Portland, Oregon.....	1889	Idaho.....
John N. Denison..	Jan. 14 1897	Grants Pass, Oregon..	1871	Oregon.....
G. W. Quimby....	Sep. 6 1897	Viola, Oregon.....	1867	Missouri.....
C. R. Thoburn....	May 9 1899	Portland, Oregon.....	1885	India.....
P. M. Starr.....	Oct. 21 1900	Brownsville, Oregon..	1856	Oregon.....
J. McIntire.....	June 3 1901	LaFayette, Oregon...	1884	Oregon.....
O. B. Streyffeler..	July 20 1901	Santa Ana, Cal.....	1893	Oregon.....
G. W. Gue.....	July 24 1901	Portland, Oregon.....	1859	Illinois.....
R. T. Baldwin...	Aug. 6 1903	Pasadena, California.	1882	Kansas.....
G. W. Roork.....	June 5 1904	Lostine, Oregon.....	1855	Oregon.....
H. R. Hill.....	Sep. 16 1904	Portland, Oregon.....	1903	Oregon.....
N. Doane.....	May 4 1905	Portland, Oregon.....	1853	Oregon.....
R. M. Corner.....	July 27 1905	Mosca, Colorado.....	1891	Oregon.....
J. W. Miller.....	Feb. 14 1906	Portland, Oregon.....	1853	Oregon.....
D. L. Spaulding...	1905	Spokane, Wash.....	1858	Oregon.....
C. Alderson.....	Oct. 12 1907	Albany, Oregon.....	1856	Oregon.....
I. D. Driver.....	Oct. 30 1907	Tangent, Oregon.....	1858	Oregon.....
J. M. Sweeney....	June 2 1908	Elkton, Oregon.....	1884	Oregon.....
J. R. Hammond...	Apr. 24 1908	Cataumet, Mass.....	1866	N. Y. East.....
D. McLachlin.....	Nov. 28 1908	Portland, Oregon.....	1869	Mississippi.....
J. H. B. Royal....	Jan. 6 1910	Portland, Oregon.....	1854	Oregon.....
C. C. Stratton....	April 10 1910	Portland, Oregon.....	1858	Oregon.....
T. F. Royal.....	Mar. 7 1911	Portland, Oregon.....	1846	Rock River....
N. M. Skipworth.	July 12, 1913	Eugene, Oregon	1881	Col. River ....
E R Homer	Apr. 14 1914	Portland, Oregon....	1874	Columbia River
W M Erskine	Feb. 24, 1914	Yamhill, Oregon.....	1890	Iowa.....
John Flinn.....	Sep. 11, 1915	Portland, Oregon....	1848	Maine .....
N. J. Harbit.....	Jan. 28, 1915	Springfield, Ore.....	1891	West Wisconsin
W. B. Pepper	July 15 1915	Chicago, Ill	1901	Oregon.....
W. J. Gardner....	Jan. 29, 1916	Cottage Grove, Ore..	1875	N. W. Iowa...
C. M. Bryan	Jan. 31, 1916	Albany, Ore..... ..	1867	N. W. Iowa...
J. H. Skidmore...	May 2, 1916	Vancouver, Wash....	1868	Oregon .....

Conference Roll and Directory

EFFECTIVE ELDERS

NAME	ADMITTED			P. O. ADDRESS (In State of Oregon unless otherwise designated)
	Where First	When	When Oregon	
Abbett, J. T.	N. W. Indiana	1884	1890	677 Vanderbilt St.Porlt'd
Airhart, W. L.	M. E. Ch. South.	1894	1916	
Aldrich, H. N	Detroit	1894	1911	Salem
Atkinson, H. T.		....	1894	Buena Vista
Avison, R. N.	Minnesota	1888	1910	Salem
Beckman, C. O.	N. Minnesota	1896	1903	113 Third St., Albuquerque, New Mexico
Belknap, L. F.	Oregon	....	1893	Yainax
Bennett, G. H.	Michigan	1888	1913	Klamath Falls
Bishop, R. S.	Oregon	....	1909	Creswell
Blackwell, R. C.	Oregon	1897	....	Juneau, Alaska
Brackenbury, A. C.	Wyoming	1894	1903	Gresham
Bristol, B. A.	Oregon	1899	....	Banks
Brittain, Alfred A		....	1916	Sutherlin
Brown, J. Montcalm	N. W. Indiana	1894	1912	Dallas
Bryan, C. H.		....	1912	Halsey
Calder, A. B.	Meth. Ch. of Can	1885	1912	
Carlos, C. R.	Illinois	1889	1915	4229 63d St.SE. Portland
Clemo, F. S.	Montana	1892	1901	Jefferson
Cook, C. T.	Columbia River	1901	1909	
Crenshaw, J. M.		....	1913	Kerby
Danford, S. A.	N. Dakota	1895	1916	
Dark, C. L.	Meth. Protestant	....	1911	Sheridan
Davenport, R. J.		1883	1904	Wilbur
Decker, F. G.	SouthernCalifornia	1899	1916	Woodburn
Dewart, S. H.	Minnesota	1883	1906	Linnton
Douglass, W. J.	Michigan	1885	190	Ashland
Doney, Carl G.		....	1915	Salem
Downs, T. H.	Meth. Ch. of Can	1887	1907	Coquille
Drake, F. G.	West Wisconsin	1898	1907	Myrtle Point
Drew, W. P.	Des Moines	1899	1903	142 Garfield Avenue Galesburg, Ills.
Dunlap, R. E.	Oregon	....	1895	Forest Grove
Dunlop, J. F.	N. W. Iowa	1893	1908	Drain
Eldridge, E. O	Baltimore	1876	1909	1607 E Stark, Portland
Feese, G. H.	Arkansas	1887	1903	69 Willamette Bvd, Por'd
Fields, D. Lester	Oregon	....	1901	McMinnville
Fisher, A. N.	E. Genesee	1862	1900	71 So. Euclid Avenue Pasadena, Cal.
Ford T. B.	Mis.and Ark.	1868	1912	Salem
Fry, William H.	Meth. Ch. of Can.	1896	1910	Honolula, Hawaii
Gibson Chas. E.		....	1916	Albany
Gordon, W. S.	Oregon	....	1897	Astoria
Gould, Hiram	Oregon	....	1888	Marshfield
Gray, G. A.	Central Ohio	1906	1907	Beave ton
Green, J. S.	North Nebraska	1895	1909	Brownsville
Hamilton, C. L.	Nebraska	1890	1902	36 E. 80th St. Portl'd
Hammond, E. S.	New Engl. Sothrn.	....	1914	Salem
Hawkins, J. K.	Oregon	....	1901	Oregon City
Heath, C. O.	Oregon	....	1912	Junction City
Heist, Aaron A.	Oregon	....	1908	
Hisey, A. S.	Nebraska	....	1910	St. Helens

EFFECTIVE ELDERS

NAME	ADMITTED			P. O. ADDRESS (In State of Oregon unless otherwise designated)
	Where First	When	When Oregon	
Hocking, Richard	N. Dakota	1888	1897	Gardiner
Hollingshead, W. B.	E. Ohio	1885	1897	740 Rush St. Chicago, Ill
Ingalls, W. E	N. Indiana	1901	1906	Salem
Irvine, J. H	East Maine	....	1911	212 Leavitt St., Portland
James, Frank	Michigan	1907	1909	Lebanon
Jasper, Franklin M.	Oregon	....	1908	Lents
Kloster, W. E	W. Wisconsin	1896	1916	1347 E. 10th N. Portl'd
Keagy, F. W			1916	Seaside
Kester, S. J.	Colorado	1902	1907	Metzger
Knotts, Joseph	Oregon	1907	....	Cottage Grove
Lacey, A. F		....	1916	Tillamook
Lane, T. W	E. Ohio	1877	1914	644 E. Ankeny St., Port'd
Leech, D. H	Columbia River	1897	1899	Corvallis
Lewis, B. H.		....	1916	Lakeview
Lockhart, E. B.	Oregon	....	1901	Stayton
Mace, E. S	Wilmington	1885	1910	North Bend
Maclean, A. R	S. Kansas	1887	1908	588 Tacoma Av., Portl'd
McCulloch, C. O	Central Illinois	1873	1911	887 Savier St., Portland
McPherson, C. T	M. E. Ch. South	1897	1899	2712 66th S.E., Portland
Mickey, J. J	N. W. Kansas	1900	1912	Turner
Moore, D. W	Dakota	....	1913	Monroe
Moore, Jas. T	East Maine	1890	1909	Springfield
Moore, James	Oregon	....	1897	Eugene
Moore, W. B	Oregon	....	1894	Canby
Mulligan, A. S	Col. River	1888	1913	Rainier
Myers, R. E	Oklahoma	1893	1907	Newberg
Oliver, G. O	Oregon	....	1905	Amity
Pacey, J. J	Michigan	1909	1914	Yoncalla
Parkinson, Chas. H.	S. W. Kansas	1902	1916	Eugene
Parounagian, M. B.	Vermont	1893	1907	346 South 23d St., Salem
Parsons, John	Oregon	....	1877	Nome, Alaska
Patton, J. J	Oregon	....	1904	Seward, Alaska
Pogue, C. W	M. E. Ch., South	....	1906	Viola
Poor, L. C	N. Indiana	1897	1908	4319 Woodstock, Portland
Rarick, C. C	S. W. Kansas	1892	1906	217 Morris St., Portland
Rees, C. B.	Oregon	....	1916	Shedds
Richards, E. C		....	1913	Ashland
Rollins, J. C	Congregational Ch	....	1910	Medford
Rummell, H. W	North Nebraska	1905	1911	Paisley
Sandifur, F. N	Indiana	1895	1908	442 E. 10th., Portland
Schwartz, H. W		....	1907	Sendai, Japan
Sherwood, Edwin	Ohio	1895	1913	Salem
Skipworth, Walton	Oregon	....	1885	Hillsboro
Smith, Ernest M	Oregon	....	1909	Silverton
Smith, L. F	Nebraska	1887	1906	7529 59th Av., Portland.
Smith, Robt. E	New England	1894	1914	1064 E. Yamhill, Portl'nd
Spiess, Henry		1896	1905	Estacada
Spencer, J. C	California	1901	9111	Roseburg
Stansfield, Joshua		....	1916	221 Eleventh, Portland
Tufts, G. L	Cincinnati	1884	1904	1577 Leroy Avenue Berkeley, California

EFFECTIVE ELDERS

NAME	ADMITTED			P. O. ADDRESS (In State of Oregon unless otherwise designated)
	Where First	When	When Oregon	
Van Marter, C. M.	N. W. Iowa	1895	1907	Ketchikan, Alaska
Van Fossen, H. J.	Minnesota	1877	1906	Ashland
Wall, Oren	Indiana	1903	1911	Scholls
Wentzell, G. J.			1908	
Westervelt, J. H.	Ohio	1899	1909	Cedarville, California
Wilson, C. T.	Wilmington	1892	1905	Washington, D. C.
Wire, Melville T.	Oregon		1902	Grants Pass
Yarnes, Thomas D.	Oregon		1911	Independence
Youngson, W. W.	Pittsburg	1895	1913	691 E. 62nd N., Portland

SUPERNUMERARIES

Fisher, F. V.	Black Hills Mission	1903	1908	4829 Walnut, Oakland, Cal
Lawrence, C. H.			1912	
Rutledge, H. I.	Iowa	1899	1908	
Weber, W. J.	S. W. Kansas	1806	1907	

RETIRED MINISTERS

Booth, Robert	Oregon		1855	Salem
Browne, W. R. F.	North Dakota	1894	1904	
Buckner, N. S.	Illinois	1866	1893	Calistoga, California
Calder, F. H.	Nebraska	1879	1888	Renton, Wash.
Chandler, L. W.	Central Tennessee	1881	1913	
Clarke, Nelson	Oregon		1857	1720 Walnut Street, Berkeley, California
Cline, C. E.	S. Illinois	1868	1888	709 East Salmon Street Portland
Cochran, L. G.	Central Illinois	1881	1900	Upland, California
Coslet, Alonzo			1903	
Fairchild, A. C.	Oregon		1861	Redlands, California
Gittins, E.	Oregon		1884	227 E. 49th St. Portland
Hoberg, J.	Oregon		1861	McMinnville
Holcomb, W. S.	Columbia River	1886	1901	Brownsville
Jahn, G. A.	Pacific German		1911	
Jones, T. L.	Oregon		1877	Brownsville
Kerr, W. T.	Central Illinois	1877	1895	1012 Mississippi Ave. Portland
Lewis, C. A.	Nebraska	1877	1889	Oak Grove
Lisle, James	Des Moines	1862	1910	Salem
Meminger, S. E.	Central Penna	1883	1889	
Myers, W. H.	S. W. Kansas	1886	1892	Port Orford
Oberg, H.	Oregon		1891	
Rees, C. M.	N. Dakota	1887	1901	Amity
Round, G. F.	M. E. Ch., South	1865	1888	Newberg

RETIRED MINISTERS—Continued

NAME	ADMITTED			P. O. ADDRESS (In State of Oregon unless otherwise designated)
	Where First	When	When Oregon	
Snyder, Samuel	N. W. Iowa	1881	1898	Brownsville
Snyder, Sanford	Michigan	1872	1898	Salem
Stephens, D. G.	Wyoming	1872	1894	Woodlawn
Stockwell, C. A.	Wisconsin	1872	1902	Marquam
Stratford, J. L.	So. Kansas	1880	1892	Creswell
Summerville, D. T.			1913	788 Amherst St., Portl'd
Sleeth, Asa	S. E. Indiana	1870	1903	1025 Michigan Av, Port'd
Watters, D. A.	Iowa	1874	1890	321 E. 8th N. Portland
Wire, M. C.	Rock River	1876	1884	Newberg
Wolfe, David	Minnesota	1889	1891	Boring

UNDERGRADUATES--Fourth Year

Abbott Geo. R.	Oregon		1915	Wilsonville
Acheson, Thos	Oregon		1913	Marquam
Coleman, J. F.	Oregon		1913	Clackamas
Luther, Edward T.	Oregon		1911	
Marcy, M. A.	Oregon		1913	Dayton
Snyder, Fred W.	Oregon		1913	Molalla
Warrell, John W.	Oregon		1912	Ballston
Warren, W. J.	Oregon		1910	Salem
Young, R. C.	Oregon		1912	Nehalem

Third Year

Curtis, Chesley E.	Oregon		1912	Nevada
Hall, S. W.	Oregon		1914	Brooks
Johnson, S. D.	Oregon		1915	Clatskanie
Nicholl, Wm.	Oregon		1914	Silverton

Second Year

Brewster, B. C.	Oregon		1915	Fairview
Deschner, Phillipp	Oregon		1915	
Harison, C. B.	Oregon		1915	Willamina
Thompson, J. West.	Oregon		1915	

First Year

De Long, Dow	Oregon		1915	Oak Grove
Doxsee, H. M.	Oregon		1915	Irving
Hutchinson, R. A.	Oregon		1915	Jacksonville
Maulden, RobertW.	Oregon		1916	
Reetz, Carl A.	Oregon		1916	Lafayette
Vanwinkle,JStanley	Oregon		1916	Mahama

Conference Officers

President—Bishop Matthew Simpson Hughes, DD., LL.D., 406 East Twenty-fourth Street, Portland, Oregon.

Secretary—C. C. Rarick, 217 Morris Street, Portland, Oregon.

Assistants—Frank James, H. N. Aldrich, F. G. Drake.

Statistican—D. Lester Fields, McMinnville, Oregon.

Assistants—T. D. Yarnes, E. M. Smith, C. B. Harrison, Thomas Acheson.

Treasurer—C. O. McCulloch, 877 Savier Street, Portland, Oregon.

Assistants—F. S. Clemo, G. A. Gray, W. H. Hampton, R. C. Young.

Conference Postmaster—H. W. Rummell.

Railroad Secretary—W. B. Moore.

Boards and Committees

CONFERENCE BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS

The District Superintendents, the District Missionary Secretaries, the District Epworth League Presidents, ex-officio, and one Sunday School Superintendent and one Layman from each district as follows:

Eugene District—L. L. Lewis, Eugene; R. K. Ohling, Albany.

Klamath District—G. W. Gregg, Ashland; H. L. Gilkey, Grants Pass.

Portland District—C. C. Miller, Portland; A. M. Smith, Portland.

Salem District—A. A. Lee, Salem; L. S. Hopfield, McMinnville.

Officers—Geo. H. Feese, President; A. M. Smith, Vice-President; Walton Skipworth, Secretary; R. K. Ohling, Treasurer.

CONFERENCE BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION

The District Superintendents ex-officio; C. O. McCulloch, Portland;

E. A. Baker, Portland; T. S. McDaniel, Portland; A. M. Smith, Portland; R. A. Booth, Eugene; R. B. Cox, Oregon City; R. N. Avison, Salem; J. K. Hawkins, Oregon City; L. C. Poor, Portland; W. T. Kerr, Portland.

CONFERENCE BOARD OF EXAMINERS

G. H. Parkinson; L. C. Poor, D. Lester Fields, W. S. Gordon, W. R. Jeffery, Jr., D. H. Leech, W. J. Douglass, A. R. Maclean, G. O. Oliver, E. C. Richards, J. K. Hawkins, Edwin Sherwood, J. C. Spencer, C. L. Dark, R. E. Dunlap, Joseph Knotts, M. T. Wire, A. S. Hisey, F. N. Sandifur, Geo. H. Feese.

CONFERENCE BOARD OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS

The District Superintendents, ex-officio; J. T. Abbett, President; F. G. Decker, Vice-President; Joseph Knott, Secretary; M. T. Wire, Treasurer; C. A. Rice, J. W. Zimmerman, A. E. Austin, C. A. Meeker.

CONFERENCE MISSIONARY SECRETARIES

Eugene District—Geo. H. Parkinson.

Klamath District—Geo. H. Bennett.

Portland District—Geo. H. Feese.

Salem District—Walton Skipworth.

BOARD OF CONFERENCE RELATIONS

W. S. Gordon, J. K. Hawkins, J. S. Green; term to

Term to expire 1917, W. J. Douglass, W. R. F. Browne, A. R. Maclean; term to expire 1918, Hiram Gould, W. C. Stewart, R. E. Dunlap; term to expire 1919, W. S. Gordon, J. K. Hawkins, J. S. Green.

CONFERENCE BOARD OF STEWARDS

Term to expire 1917, James Moore, D. H. Leech, E. C. Richards; term to expire 1918, J. T. Moore, M. B. Parounagian, Joseph Knotts; term to expire 1919, W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., C. L. Hamilton, J. C. Spencer.

CONFERENCE TRUSTEES

T erm to expire 1917, R. E. Dunlap; term to expire 1918, Hiram Gould; term to expire 1919, D. H. Leech.

TRUSTEES CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS PERMANENT FUND

Term to expire 1917, R. E. Dunlap; term to expire 1918, Hiram Gould; term to expire 1919, D. H. Leech.

CONFERENCE BOARD OF DEACONESSES

Term to expire 1917, R. E. Dunlap, C. C. Rarick, Mrs. F. W. Brooke; term to expire 1918, Mrs. A. R. Maclean, T. W. Lane, W. J. Douglass; term to expire 1919, R. E. Smith, Mrs. M. S. Hughes, W. W. Youngson.

INCORPORATION OF CHURCHES

T. B. Ford, Walton Skipworth, T. W. Lane, R. N. Avison, I. H. Van Winkle, J. W. Reynolds, R. A. Booth.

SOCIAL SERVICE COMMISSION

A. R. Maclean, R. N. Avison, E. C. Richards, G. L. Tufts.

CONFERENCE FINANCE COMMISSION

J. K. Hawkins, G. H. Feese, J. C. Spencer, D. H. Leech, R. A. Booth, Eugene; T. S. McDaniel, Portland; D. A. Lawton, Medford; A. A. Lee, Salem.

TRIERS OF APPEALS

R. E. Smith, R. N. Avison, Walton Skipworth, W. J. Douglass; reserves, Joseph Knotts, J. S. Greene.

THE MISSIONARY SERMON

Walton Skipworth; Alternate, Geo. H. Bennett.

COMMISSION ON SALE AND EXCHANGE OF CHURCH PROPERTY

Resident Bishop and District Superintendents.

CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS ENDOWMENT COMMISSION

District Superintendents

Eugene District—D. H. Leech, Geo. H. Parkinson, R. A. Booth, A. M. Hammer.

Klamath District—M. T. Wire, A. C. Marsters, H. L. Gilkey, J. C. Rollins.

Portland District—Joshua Stansfield, T. W. Lane, A. M. Smith, T. S. McDaniel.

Salem District—R. N. Avison, D. L. Fields, A. A. Lee, B. L. Steeves.

OLD PEOPLE'S HOME

James Moore, D. H. Leech, G. H. Parkinson, C. O. McCulloch, J. M. Brown.

SEMENARY MEN'S ASSOCIATION COMMISSION

R. N. Avison, W. W. Youngson, James Moore, Edwin Sherwood, M. T. Wire.

STANDING COMMITTEES

Aggressive Evangelism—S. A. Danford, G. O. Oliver, C. H. Bryan, M. T. Wire.

Auditing—F. M. Jasper, G. H. Bennett, Henry Speiss.

American Bible Society—S. H. Dewart, J. F. Dunlop, J. C. Rollins, R. E. Dunlap.

Books and Periodicals—S. D. Johnson, C. O. Heath, E. C. Richards, C. L. Dark.

Childrens' Day—J. H. Irvine, J. J. Pacey, E. M. Smith, B. H. Lewis.

Education—Geo. H. Parkinson, J. T. Abbett, Walton Skipworth, R. N. Avison, W. J. Douglass, C. R. Carlos, Geo. H. Feese.

Episcopal Fund—W. L. Airheart, F. S. Clemo, E. B. Lockhart.

Epworth League—T. W. Lane, Joseph Knotts, E. M. Smith, J. C. Spencer.

Freedman's Aid Society—W. S. Gordon, C. H. Bryan, A. C. Brackenbury, J. M. Crenshaw.

Indian Missions—W. E. Kloster, J. S. Green, J. W. Warrell, E. C. Richards.

Memoirs—E. O. Eldridge, F. G. Drake, J. M. Brown, M. T. Wire,

Methodist Brotherhood—C. R. Carlos, Frank James, W. B. Moore, H. W. Rummell.

Public Worship—Pastor and District Superintendents.

Resolutions—C. O. McCulloch, H. N. Aldrich, J. C. Spencer.

Sanctity of the Sabbath—A. S. Hisey, T. D. Yarnes, B. H. Lewis, G. R. Abbott.

Temperance—F. W. Keagy, J. T. Moore, R. N. Avison, Geo. Bennett.

NOTE—The above committees are the nomination of the District Superintendents, and for the approval of the Annual Conference of 1917. They are arranged without reference to permanent chairmanship. The first named will call the committee together for organization on the first day of Conference session.

Appointments

The numeral following the name indicates the year of service on that charge. Districts and charges are alphabetically arranged. Where different from name of charge, postoffice of pastor is given in brackets; also street and number where necessary. See Conference Roll, pages 10-13.) Name of state Oregon unless otherwise indicated. Name marked with * Undergraduates; ** Supplies.

EUGENE DISTRICT.

James Moore (1) Superintendent

Albany	Chas. E. Gibson	1
Bandon	**E. C. Alford	1
Brownsville	J. S. Green	2
Buena Vista	H. T. Atkinson	1
Coburg	**W. F. Willings	1
Coos Bay Circuit	**E. H. Campbell	1
Coquille	T. H. Downs	2
Corvallis	D. H. Leech	2
Cottage Grove	Joseph Knotts	1
Crawfordsville	*Harold Doxsee	2
Creswell	R. S. Bishop	4
Drain	J. F. Dunlop	3
Elkton	**H. C. Preston	1
Eugene	G. H. Parkinson	2
Gardiner	R. Hocking	1
Goshen Circuit	To be Supplied	
Halsey	C. H. Bryan	2
Harrisburg	To be Supplied	
Independence	T. D. Yarnes	1
Irving	*Harold Doxsee	2
Jefferson	F. S. Clemo	1
Junction City	C. O. Heath	3
Lebanon	Frank James	1
Loraine Circuit	**G. M. Bailey	1
Lowell Circuit	**Walter Ross	4
Marcola	**A. G. Child	1
Marshfield	H. Gould	1

Mahama and Lyons	*J. Stanley VanWinkle	1
Monroe Circuit	D. W. Moore	1
Myrtle Point	F. G. Drake	1
North Bend	E. S. Mace	1
Port Orford	**W. H. Myers	3
Shedds	C. B. Rees	1
Siletz Indian Mission	**C. J. Searles	1
Springfield	J. T. Moore	4
Toledo	To be Supplied	
Turner	J. J. Mickey	4
Yoncalla	J. J. Pacey	1

KLAMATH DISTRICT.

H. J. Van Fossen (4) Superintendent.

Ashland	W. J. Douglass	4
Bonanza and Merrill	To be Supplied	
Canyonville	**C. C. Coop	2
Central Point	**J. G. Stanard	1
Fort Rock	To be Supplied	
Gold Hill (Ashland)	E. C. Richards	1
Grants Pass	M. T. Wire	2
Jacksonville	*R. A. Hutchinson	2
Klamath Indian Mission	**C. G. Morris	1
Klamath Falls	G. H. Bennett	1
Lakeview	B. H. Lewis	1
Medford	J. C. Rollins	2
Paisley	H. W. Rummell	1
Roseburg	J. C. Spencer	1
Roseburg Circuit	**J. C. Ragsdale	1
Sutherlin	A. A. Brittain	1
Talent	**M. C. Reed	3
Wilbur	R. J. Davenport	1
Wilderville and Kirby	J. M. Crenshaw	2
Yainax	L. F. Belknap	1

PORTLAND DISTRICT.

W. W. Youngson (1) Superintendent.

Astoria	W. S. Gordon	4
Clatskanie and Mayger	*S. D. Johnson	3

Houlton and Warren	**W. L. Wilson	1
Knappa and Svenson	To be Supplied	
Portland-Brentwood	**Paul Green	1
Carson Heights	To be Supplied	
Centenary	T. W. Lane	3
Central	C. C. Rarick	5
Clinton Kelly Mem	A. B. Calder	1
Epworth	C. O. McCulloch	4
First Church	Joshua Stansfield	1
	W. L. Airheart	2
Laurelwood	C. R. Carlos	3
Lents	F. M. Jasper	1
Lincoln	**B. H. Morse	1
Linnton	S. H. Dewart	5
Mt. Tabor	E. O. Eldridge	3
Montavilla	C. L. Hamilton	1
Patton	G. H. Feese	3
Rose City Park	Aaron A. Heist	1
Sellwood	A. R. MacLean	3
St. Johns	J. R. Irvine	1
Sunnyside	R. E. Smith and	4
	C. T. McPherson	1
Trinity	F. N. Sandifur	1
University Park	J. T. Abbett	1
Westmoreland	*R. W. Maulden	1
Woodlawn	W. E. Kloster	1
Woodstock	L. C. Poor	1
Rainier and Hudson	A. S. Mulligan	2
Seaside	F. W. Keagy	1
St. Helens	A. S. Hisey	1
Warrenton and Hammond	**Alfred Bates	3

SALEM DISTRICT.

T. B. Ford (2) Superintendent.

Amity	G. O. Oliver	3
Ballston	*J. W. Warrell	2
Banks	B. A. Bristol	2
Beaverton	G. A. Gray	2
Boring and Bennett Chapel	**L. F. Zimmerman	1
Brooks	*S. W. Hall	1
Canby	W. B. Moore	2
Carus and Central Point	**G. C. Scudder	1

Clackamas and Oswego	*J. F. Coleman	2
Cornelius	**J. G. Crozier	2
Dallas	J. M. Brown	1
Dayton	*M. A. Marcy	2
Dundee	**J. S. Moore	1
Dilley	**C. W. Comstock	2
Estacada	Henry Spiess	2
Fairview	*B. C. Brewster	2
Falls City	**J. C. Erwin	1
Fargo	**E. Gittins	1
Forest Grove	R. E. Dunlap	4
Gresham	A. C. Brackenbury	2
Hillsboro	W. Skipworth	1
Lafayette	*Carl Reetz	1
Liberty	**A. Hawthorne	1
Livesley	To be Supplied	
Marquam and Hubbard	*Thomas Acheson	3
McMinnville	D. Lester Fields	4
Metzger	S. J. Kester	3
Molalla	*F. W. Snyder	1
Nehalem	*R. C. Young	1
Newberg	R. E. Myers	1
North Plains	**M. M. Reed	1
Oregon City	J. K. Hawkins	2
Oak Grove	*Dow DeLong	2
Pleasant Home and Iliff	**F. S. Ford	1
Salem—First Church	R. N. Avison	7
Jason Lee Mem	W. E. Ingalls	1
Leslie	H. N. Aldrich	1
West Salem	*W. J. Warren	1
Sandy	**M. M. Minor	1
Scholls and Farmington	Oren Wall	1
Sheridan	C. L. Dark	2
Silverton	E. M. Smith and	1
	*William Nichol	1
Stayton	E. B. Lockhart	2
Tillamook	A. F. Lacey	1
Tualatin	**H. P. Blake	2
Viola	C. W. Pogue	1
Willamina	**C. B. Harrison	1
Wilsonville and Willamette	*G. R. Abbott	2
Woodburn	E. G. Decker	1
Yamhill and Carlton	**Robert Brymer	2

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

A. N. Fisher, Field Secretary of Systematic Beneficience, member First Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

Carl G. Doney, President Willamette University, member First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

Clarence True Wilson, Secretary of the Board of Temperance, Prohibition, and Public Morals, Washington, D. C., member Centenary Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

W. B. Hollingshead, Secretary of Apportionments, member First Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

G. L. Tufts, Secretary of Methodist Federation for Social Service, member First Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

W. P. Drew, President of Knox College, Galesburg, Ill., member of First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

M. B. Parounagian, Sunday School Missionary, member First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

William H. Fry, Superintendent of Hawaii Mission.

R. C. Blackwell, Superintendant Alaska Mission.

John Parsons, J. J. Patton, C. T. Cook, C. M. VanMarter, Missionaries in Alaska.

H. W. Swartz, Missionary in Japan.

J. H. Westervelt and C. E. Curtis, Missionaries in Nevada Mission.

Edwin Sherwood and E. S. Hammond, Professors in Kimball College of Theology, members of First Church, Salem, Quarterly Conference.

S. A. Danford, Conference Evangelist, member of First Church, Portland, Quarterly Conference.

L. F. Smith, Conference Evangelist, member of Sunnyside Quarterly Conference.

J. W. Thompson, left without appointment to attend school.

Phillipp Deschner, Field Secretary of the Anti-Saloon League, member of the Sunnyside Quarterly Conference, Portland.

Missionary Appropriations

EUGENE DISTRICT

Bandon	$ 175
Coburg	100
Coos Bay Circuit	100
Coquille	175
Crawfordsville	100
Drain	50
Elkton	50
Goshen Circuit	100
Irving	50
Jefferson	100
Lorane	100
Lowell	100
Marcola	100
Mahama and Lyons	100
Myrtle Point	150
Port Orford	200
Shedds	50
Siletz Indian Mission	325
Toledo	150
Turner	100
Yoncalla	135
	$2,510

KLAMATH DISTRICT

Bonanza	$ 190
Canyonville	150
Central Point	140
Gold Hill	185
Jacksonville	200
Kirby	180
Paisley	200
Roseburg Circuit	190
Sutherlin	200
Talent	190
Wilbur	170

Wilderville and Kirby	100
Klamath Indian Mission	525
District	600
Additional to District	50
Extension	200
	$3,370

PORTLAND DISTRICT

Clatskanie	$ 125
Houlton	225
Knappa	225
Linnton	200
Rainier	175
Warrenton	200
Multnomah	55
	$1,205

SALEM DISTRICT

Ballston	$ 100
Banks	150
Beaverton	80
Brooks	100
Carus and Central Point	30
Cornelius	40
Dayton	65
Dilley	100
Dundee	100
Fairview	100
Falls City	100
Jason Lee Memorial	50
Lafayette	40
Liberty	100
Metzger	150
Mollalla	150
Nehalem	125
North Plains	100
Oak Grove	50
Pleasant Home and Iliff	100

Sandy	100
Scholls and Farmington	110
Silverton	50
Stayton	150
Viola	100
West Salem	125
Willamina	100
	$2,565

Disciplinary Questions

1. Is this Annual Conference incorporated according to the requirements of the Discipline?

Yes.

2. Who have been received by Transfer, and from what Conference?

W. L. Airheart, W. E. Kloster, Chas. E. Gibson and F. W. Keagy, Columbia River; S. A. Danford, N. Dakota; B. H. Lewis, Idaho; Alfred A. Brittain and F. G. Decker, Puget Sound; Aaron A. Heist, Central Illinois; A. F. Lacy, California; Joshua Stansfield, Indiana; Geo. H. Parkinson, New England.

3. Who have been readmitted?

H. T. Atkinson (located, Ore. Conf. 1915); C. B. Rees (located Ore. Conf. 1915.)

4. Who have been received on Credentials, and from what Churches?

None.

5. Who have been received on trial?

(a) In Studies of First Year: Robert Wm. Maulden, Carl A. Reetz, J. Stanley VanWinkle.

(b) In studies of third year: None.

6. Who have been continued on trial?

(a) In Studies of First Year: Herold M. Doxsee, Dow DeLong, R. A. Hutchinson.

(b) In Studies of Second Year: Bernard C. Brewster, Phillipp Deschner, Chas. B. Harrison, J. West Thompson,

(c) In Studies of Third Year: None.

(d) In studies of fourth year: None.

7. Who have been discontinued?

Frank S. Francis, Geo. W. Hall.

8. Who have been admitted into full membership?

Sidney W. Hall, Wm. Nicholl.

(b) Elected and ordained Deacons previously: None.

9. What members are in studies of third year?

(a) Admitted into Full Membership this Year: Sidney W. Hall, Wm. Nicholl.

(b) Admitted into Full Membership Previously: Chesley E. Curtis, S. Darlow Johnson.

10. What members are in studies of fourth year?

Thomas Achison, Geo. R. Abbott, John F. Coleman, Edward T. Luther, Milton A. Marcy, Fred W. Snyder, John W. Warrell, Wm. J. Warren, R. Carl Young.

11. What Members have completed the Conference Course of study?

(a) Elected and Ordained this Year: Cary O. Heath, Daniel W. Moore.

(b) Elected and Ordained Elders Previously: None.

12. What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?

(a) As Local Preachers: None.

(b) Under Missionary Rule: None.

(c) Under Seminary Rule: None.

13. What others have been elected and ordainer Elders?

(a) As Local Deacons: None.

(b) Under Missionary Rule: None.

(c) Under Seminary Rule: None.

14. Was the character of each preacher examined?

This was done in the usual order as the name of each preacher was called in open conference.

15. Who have been transferred, and to what Conferences?

R. H. Allen, Columbia River; H. T. Greene, Columbia River, W. H. Hampton, California; Geo. F. Hopkins, Puget Sound; Wm. R. Jeffrey, Jr., Central Illinois; F. L. Loveland, Indiana; J. W. McDougall, Columbia River; W. C. Stewart, Columbia River; Louis Thomas, Columbia River.

16. Who have died?

C. M. Bryan, W. J. Gardner, J. H. Skidmore.

17. Who have been located at their own request?

None.

18. Who have been Located?

None.

19. Who have Withdrawn?

C. Mayne Knight, Harry G. McCain, Wm. G. Powell.

20. Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?

None.

21. Who have been Expelled?

None.

22. What other Personal Notation notation should be made?
None.

23. Who are the Supernumerary Ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this Relation?

F. V. Fisher (4), C. H. Lawrence (4), H. I. Rutledge (4), J. W. Weber (1).

24. Who are the Retired Ministers?

Robert Booth, W. R. F. Browne, N. S. Buckner, F. H. Calder, L. W. Chandler, Nelson Clark, C. E. Cline, L. G. Cochran, Alonzo Coslet, A. C. Fairchild, Edward Gittins, J. Hoberg, W. S. Holcomb, G. A. Jahn, T. L. Jones, W. T. Kerr, C. A. Lewis, James Lisle, S. E. Meminger, W. H. Myers, H. Oberg, C. M. Rees, G. F. Round, Asa Sleeth, Samuel Snyder, Sanford Snyder, D. G. Stephens, C. A. Stockwell, J. L. Stratford, D. T. Summerville, M. C. Wire, D. A. Watters, David Wolfe.

25. Who are the Triers of Appeals?

R. E. Smith, R. N. Avison, Walton Skipworth, W. J. Douglass. Reserves: Joseph Knotts, J. S. Green.

26. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension?

See Report.

27. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions?

See Report.

28. What is the Statistical Report?

See the Conference Treasurer's Report.

29. What is the Conference Treasurer's Report?

See the Conference Treasurer's Report.

30. What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?

$32,319.

31. What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?

$16,041.

32. What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?

$7,725.79. See Report of Conference Stewards.

33. What is the Five Per Cent of the amount raised for the Support of Conference Claimants, and paid by the Conference Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants for Connectional Relief?

$195.

34. What amount has been apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference to be raised for the support of Conference Claimants?

$4,299—Five per cent of cash salaries of over $300, 3 per cent of cash salaries of $300 or less.

35. Where are the Preachers Stationed?

See List of Appointments.

36. Where shall the next Conference be held?

Springfield.

Journal

First Day

MORNING SESSION

Wednesday, September 27, 1916.

Opening—The Oregon Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church opened for its sixty-fourth session in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Lebanon, Oregon, September 27, 2916, at 9 A. M.; Bishop Matthew Simpson Hughes, DD. LL D., presiding.

At the request of the Bishop the District Superintendents and the pastor administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Hymn 415 was sung.

Memorial Service—In accordance with our rule, a Memorial Service was conducted by the Committee on Memoirs, Robt. E. Smith, presiding. Hymn 628 was sung and W. J. Douglas led in prayer. Richard Hocking read the obituaries of the following members who died during the year: W. J. Gardner, C. M. Bryan, and J. H. Skidmore. He also read the obituary of F. A. Piper who was a supply in charge of our work at Elkton.

James Moore read the obituary of Mrs. Mary Catherine Ford, and D. A. Watters that of Mrs. Matilda Draper Doane.

R. E. Smith referred to the death of Bishops Naphtali Luccock and David H. Moore. C. R. Carlos addressed the Conference in memory of Bishop Luccock, and C. T. Wilson in memory of Bishop Moore. The service was concluded with an address by Bishop Hughes, touching the life and character of these Bishops.

Roll Call—At 10:40 the Bishop resumed the chair and C. C. Rarick,

Secretary of the last Conference, called the roll and the following members and members on trial responded:

J. T. Abbett, H. N. Aldrich, R. N. Avison, R. S. Bishop, B. A. Bristol, J. Montcalm Brown, C. H. Bryan, A. B. Calder, C. R. Carlos, L. W. Chandler, F. S. Clemo, C. L. Dark, S. H. Dewart, W. J. Douglass, F. G. Drake, R. E. Dunlap, J. F. Dunlop, E. O. Eldridge D. Lester Fields, A. N. Fisher, T. B. Ford, W. S. Gordon, Hiram Gould, G. A. Gray, J. S. Green, C. L. Hamilton, E. S. Hammond, J. K. Hawkins, A. S. Hisey, Richard Hocking, G. F. Hopkins, W. E. Ingalls, J. H. Irvine, W. R. Jeffrey Jr., Frank James, Franklin M. Jasper, Joseph Knotts, T. W. Lane, D. H. Leech, Frank L. Loveland, E. S. Mace, A. R. Maclean, C. O. McCulloch, J. W. McDougall, J. J. Mickey, Jas. T. Moore, James Moore, W. B. Moore, A. S. Mulligan, R. E. Myers, G. O. Oliver, M. B. Parounagian, L. C. Poor, C. C. Rarick, E. C. Richards, H. W. Rummell, F. N. Sandifur, Walton Skipworth, Ernest M. Smith, L. F. Smith, Robt. E. Smith, J. C. Spencer, W. C. Stewart, G. L. Tufts, H. J. Van Fossen, Oren Wall, C. T. Wilson, Melville T. Wire, W. W. Youngson, D. W. Moore, J. Hoberg, W. T. Kerr, James Lisle, S. E. Meminger, W. H. Myers, Samuel Snyder, Sanford Snyder, J. L. Stratford, D. T. Summerville, M. C. Wire, T. L. Jones, G. F. Round, D. A. Walters, Geo. R. Abbott, C. O. Heath, John W. Warrell, Thos. Acheson, J. F. Coleman, Fred W. Snyder, W. J. Warren, R. C. Young, S. W. Hall, B. C. Brewster, Dow DeLong, H. M. Doxsee, C. B. Harrison, R. A. Hutchinson, Wm. Nicholl.

Organization—The following officers were elected:

Secretary—C. C. Rarick; Assistants, Frank James, F. G. Drake and H. N. Aldrich.

Statistician—D. Lester Fields; Assistants, T. D. Yarnes, E. M. Smith, C. B. Harrison and Thomas Achison.

Treasurer—C. O. McCulloch; Assistants, W. H. Hampton, F. S. Clemo, R. C. Young and G. A. Gray.

Railroad Secretary—W. B. Moore.

Postmaster—H. W. Rummell.

Program—On the suggestion of the Bishop the printed program was made the official program and the printed minutes the official Journal of the Conference.

Bar—On motion of C. L. Hamilton the Bar of the Conference was fixed to include the first six rows of seats.

Board of Conference Relations—On motion of R. E. Dunlap, W. S. Gordon, J. K. Hawkins and J. S. Green were elected members of the Board of Conference Relations, term to expire 1919; and on his motion, A. S. Mulligan was elected to take the place of W. R. F. Browne, who was too ill to serve.

Resolution—On motion of T. W. Lane, the following resolution was adopted by standing vote: Resolved, that the Oregon Conference most cordially welcomes to the presidency of the Sixty-fourth Session, our Bishop Matthew Simpson Hughes. We are highly pleased and honored in that his Episcopal residence is within the territory of our Conference. His power as a preacher of the unsearchable riches of the Gospel of Christ, his ability in executive affairs, and his great-hearted "big brotherliness" in social comradship are to us prohpecy of marked progress in the establishment of the kingdom of our Lord, and the extension of Methodism in this great and rapidly developing Northwest.

Excused—On motion of H. Gould, those serving on the Board of Stewards, Board of Conference Relations, Statisticians, Treasurers and Secretaries, were excused from serving on any other boards or committees.

Change in Committees—On motion of J. W. McDougall, the membership of the Standing Committees was changed as follows: Aggressive Evangelism, S. A. Danford for C. M. Van Marter; American Bible Society, J. C. Rollins for S. W. Hall; Children's Day, C. O. Heath for R. H. Allen. F. M. Jasper for C. B. Harrison, T. H. Downs for C. M. Knight and B. H. Lewis for W. J. Weber; Education, James Moore for H. S. Wilkinson and M. T. Wire for Geo. P. Trites; Episcopal Fund, W. L. Airheart for H. T. Greene; Freedman's Aid, Wm. E. Kloster for Louis Thomas; Resolutions, R. N. Avison for T. B. Ford; Temperance, C. H. Bryan for C. M. Bryan and Geo. H. Parkinson for W. J. Weber.

Committee on Courtesies—On motion of J. W. McDougall, the following committee on Courtesies was elected: F. L. Loveland, chairman; R. N. Avison and Walton Skipworth.

Reporter—On motion of Walton Skipworth, M. T. Wire was elected to report the proceedings of the Conference for the Pacific Christian Advocate and the local papers.

Methodist Review—On motion of Frank James, M. B. Parounagian was elected to solicit subscriptions for the Methodist Review.

Rules of Order—On motion of R. E. Dunlap the Rules of Order

and General Rules as printed in the Conference Journal of last year were adopted for this session of the Conference.

Order of Day—At the suggestion of the Bishop and on motion of D. L. Fields the reading of the District Superintendent's Reports was made the order of the day immediately following the reading of the minutes on Thursday morning.

Introductions—A. G. Kynett, representing the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension; Mrs. I. G. Penn, representing the Methodist Old Peoples Home at Salem; G. F. Hopkins, representing the Board of Conference Claimants at Chicago, and R. H. Hughes, editor of the Pacific Christian Advocate, were introduced and addressed the Conference. G. F. Hopkins presented a draft for $200 from the Board of Conference Claimants at Chicago and R. H. Hughes presented a draft for $2377 from the Book Concern and $34.48 from the Rose fund, which on motion of D. H. Leech were accepted and ordered transferred through the Treasurer to the Conference Board of Stewards.

Resolution—On motion of T. B. Ford the following resolution was referred to a special committee to be nominated by the cabinet:

"Resolved, that we, the ministers of the Oregon Conference, endorse the work of the Methodist Old People's Home of Salem, Oregon, pledge our co-operation, extend the courtesy of our pulpits if asked for, once a year, and will see to it that an associate manager for the Home is appointed in our pastorate."

Minutes—On motion of the Secretary it was ordered that the pastors pay 25 cents on each $100 cash salary received the past year to help defray the cost of publishing the Conference Journal, and that he be permitted to appoint one member from each District to collect the same.

Introductions—The following were introduced Mrs. M. S. Hughes, wife of our presiding Bishop; Geo. H. Parkinson and wife, B. H. Morse, W. L. Airheart, S. A. Danford and J. J. Brauer.

Closing—Announcements were made and A. N. Fisher pronounced the benediction.

Second Day

MORNING SESSION

Thursday, September 28, 1916.

Opening—The Conference opened with a devotional service at

8:30 A. M., L. W. Chandler presiding. Hymn No. 1 was sung and L. W. Chandler led in prayer. Francis M. Larkin, editor of the California Christian Advocate addressed the Conference on the subject: "The Program of Christianity."

At 9:15 the Bishop took the chair.

Minutes—The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

Question of Privilege—On a question of Special Privilege F. L. Loveland addressing the Conference stated that on yesterday one of the members had passed his seventy-eighth mile-stone, and presented A. N. Fisher to the Bishop to receive from him a bouquet of flowers—a token of love and esteem in which he is held by his brethren of the Conference.

Old People's Home—On motion of J. W. McDougall, R. N. Avison, F. L. Loveland, G. H. Feese, James Moore and W. R. Jeffrey Jr., were elected as the special committee to consider the resolution presented by T. B. Ford with reference to the Old People's Home at Salem.

Order of Day—In accordance with the action of yesterday the Order of Day was taken up and

Question 14—"Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?" was asked.

Eugene District—J. T. Abbett, District Superintendent of the Eugene District was called and his character passed. He read his report.

Question of Privilege—James Moore, representing the Eugene District addressed the Conference and presented J. T. Abbett a purse of gold, the gift of his brethren on his District. Brother Abbett fittingly responded.

Klamath District—H. J. Van Fossen, District Superintendent of the Klamath District was called and his character passed. He read his report.

Hymn 143 was sung.

Portland District—J. W. McDougall, District Superintendent of the Portland District was called and his character passed. He read his report.

Question of Privilege—C. R. Carlos, representing the Portland District, addressed the Conference and in behalf of his brethren pre-

sented J. W. McDougall with a purse of gold. Brother McDougall responded.

Salem District—T. B. Ford, District Superintendent of the Salem District, was called and his character passed. He made his report.

Detached Service—The list of those on Detached Service was called and their characters passed: A. N. Fisher, Carl G. Doney, C. T. Wilson, W. B. Hollingshead, M. B. Paronnagian, W. H. Fry, R. C. Blackwell, John Parsons, J. J. Patton, C. T. Cook, H. W. Schwartz, C. O. Beckman, J. H. Westervelt, W. P. Drew, C. W. Pogue, Edwin Sherwood, E. S. Hammond, G. F. Hopkins, L. F. Belknap, L. F. Smith, Geo. W. Hall, Phillipp Deschner.

To Withdraw—T. B. Ford presented the request of H. G. McCain to withdraw from the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church. On motion of C. O. McCulloch his case was referred to the Board of Conference Relations.

To Communicate—The Conference not having heard from W. P. Drew for several years, on motion of T. B. Ford the Secretary was instructed to communicate with him as to his desires regarding his future relationship to the Conference.

Board of Stewards—On motion of Joseph Knotts W. R. Jeffry, Jr., C. L. Hamilton, and J. C. Spencer, were elected to membership on the Conference Board of Stewards, term to expire in 1919.

Excused—On their request Wm. Nicholl and D. H. Leech were excused from attendance on today's session, T. W. Lane and E. O. Eldridge from Friday's session and S. D. Johnson from the entire session.

Committee on Education—On motion of T. B. Ford Geo. H. Parkinson was substituted for W. J. Douglass on the Committee on Education.

Referred—On motion of their respective District Superintendents, H. T. Atkinson and C. B. Rees, were referred to the Board of Conference Relations with a view to their readmission on certificates of location. On motion of J. W. McDougall, B. H. Morse, formerly a member of the North Dakota Conference, was referred to the Board of Conference Relations with a view to his readmission on a certificate of location; also on his motion, W. A. Linsey was referred to the Board of Conference Relations with a view to the recognition of orders. On motion of H. J. Van Fossen, W. J. Weber was referred to the Board of Conference Relations.

Closing—Announcements were made and Edgar Blake pronounced the benediction.

Third Day

MORNING SESSION.

Friday, Sept. 29, 1916.

Opening—Conference opened with a devotional service at 8:30 A. M., Frank James presiding. Hymn 106 was sung. D. H. Leech led in prayer and Francis M. Larkin addressed the Conference on the subject, "The Christian Doctrine of Human Life."

At 9:00 A. M. the Bishop took the chair.

Minutes—The minutes of Thursday's session were read and approved.

Excused—On motion of J. T. Abbott, H. M. Doxsee was excused from further attendance on the Conference.

Permanent Fund—On motion of T. B. Ford it was ordered that $960 interest money from the Conference Claimants' Permanent Fund be transferred through the Treasurer of the Conference to the Conference Board of Stewards for immediate use.

Question 14 Resumed—On motion of J. T. Abbett the pastors were instructed, when reporting, to state whether all the benevolent causes had been presented and whether there had been an increase.

Eugene District—Those present reported: Jas. Moore, J. S. Green, Oren Wall, T. H. Downs, D. H. Leech, H. N. Aldrich, R. S. Bishop, J. F. Dunlop, Geo. H. Parkinson, J. J. Pacey, C. H. Bryan, F. G. Drake, W. C. Stewart, R. C. Young, C. O. Heath, Walton Skipworth, Joseph Knotts, F. W. Snyder, R. J. Davenport, E. S. Mace, A. S. Hisey, W. H. Myers, F. S. Clemo, J. T. Moore, J. J. Mickey, R. Hocking.

Question of Privilege—On a question of privilege J. T. Abbott stated that the Eugene District reports an increase of $81 for Home Missions and $441 for Foreign Missions.

Klamath District—Those present reported: W. J. Douglass, S. W. Hall, M. T. Wire, R. A. Hutchinson, J. M. Crenshaw, E. C. Richards, J. C. Rollins, A. Hawthorne, W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., H. W. Rummell.

Portland District—Those present reported: W. S. Gordon, T. W. Lane, Sanford Snyder, C. C. Rarick, C. O. McCulloch, F. L. Loveland, C. R. Carlos, S. H. Dewart, E. O. Eldridge, W. H. Hampton, G. H. Feese, W. W. Youngson, A. R. Maclean, W. E. Ingalls, R. E. Smith,

A. B. Calder, C. L. Hamilton, C. B. Harrison, Frank James, W. E. Kloster, A. S. Mulligan, S. A. Danford, F. N. Sandifur, Alfred Bates.

Salem District—Those present reported: G. O. Oliver, J. W. Warrell, B. A. Bristol, G. A. Gray, F. M. Jasper, W. B. Moore, J. F. Coleman, J. G. Crozier, G. H. Bennett, M. A. Marcy, G. A. Jahn, Henry Spiess, B. C. Brewster, W. J. Warren, R. E. Dunlap, H. C. Brackenberry, R. E. Myers, C. W. Comstock, Wm. Nicholl, Thomas Acheson, D. Lester Fields, S. J. Kester, E. M. Smith, H. Gould, J. K. Hawkins, Dow De Long, R. N. Avison, J. M. Brown, J. C. Spencer, T. D. Yarnes, L. W. Chandler, C. L. Dark, J. H. Irvine, E. B. Lockhart, E. Gittens, G. R. Abbott, L. C. Poor, Robert Brymer.

Laymen's Association—Mrs. A. C. Marsters and T. S. McDaniel, representing the Laymen's Association, were introduced and each addressed the Conference.

On motion of T. B. Ford, the Laymen's Association was invited to meet with the Conference in joint session at 11:30. The Bishop appointed W. T. Kerr to bear to them the greetings and invitation of the Conference, and requested Edgar Blake to represent him in an address at the joint session.

Question 5—Who have been received on trial in the studies of the first year? J. Stanley Van Winkle, Robt. Wm. Maulden and Carl A. Reetz, being recommended by their Quarterly Conferences, favorably represented by the Registrar and the Board of Conference Relations, on motion of their respective District Superintendents, were received on trial and placed in the studies of the first year.

On motion of J. T. Abbett Grover C. Scudder, recommended by the Selitz Quarterly Conference, was referred to the Board of Conference Relations.

Question 6—"Who have been continued on trial?" Dow De Long, Harold M. Doxsee and R. A. Hutchinson, on motion of their respective District Superintendents, were continued on trial in the studies of the first year. Bernard C. Brewster (conditioned on Preparation and Delivery of Sermon), Phillipp Deschner and Chas. B. Harrison, being favorably represented by the Registrar, on motion of their respective District Superintendents, were advanced to the studies of the second year.

J. West Thompson, who was ordained Elder as a local Deacon last year, on motion of J. W. McDougall, was continued on trial and advanced to the studies of the second year.

Discontinued—Geo. W. Hall, and Frank S. Francis at his own request, on motion of their respective District Superintendents, were discontinued.

Question 8—Who have been admitted into full membership? Wm. Nicholl and Sidney W. Hall, being favorably represented by the Registrar and the Board of Conference Relations, on motion of their respective District Superintendents, were advanced to the studies of the third year, admitted into full membership and recommended for election to Deacon's Orders.

Question 9—What members are in the studies of the third year? Chesley E. Curtis, admitted into full membership previously, on motion of T. B. Ford, was continued in the studies of the third year.

On motion of C. T. Wilson the Registrar was instructed to notify Chesley E. Curtis that the Conference requires him to bring up his studies by next Conference or be located.

On motion of J. W. McDougall, S. Darlow Johnson, admitted into full membership previously, was continued in the studies of the third year.

Question 10—What members are in the studies of the fourth year? R. Carl Young (conditioned on two books to be read), John F. Coleman, Milton A. Marcy, Fred W. Snyder, Wm. J. Warren and Thomas Achison, being favorably represented by the Registrar, on motion of their respective District Superintendents, were advanced to the studies of the fourth year.

Geo. R. Abbott, Edward T. Luther and John W. Warrell, on motion of their respective District Superintendents, were continued in the studies of the fourth year.

To Withdraw—On motion of J. W. McDougall, Wm. F. Powell, at his own request, was permitted to withdraw from the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Question 11—What members have completed the Conference course of study? Carey O. Heath, being favorably represented by the Registrar, on motion of J. T. Abbett, was graduated from the course of study and recommended for election to Elder's Orders.

Question 13—What others have been elected and ordained Elders? Daniel W. Moore, having served for four years as Local Deacon, previously graduated from the course of study, being favorably represented by the Board of Conference Relations, on motion of J. W.

McDougall, was made effective and recommended for election to Elders' Orders.

Committee of Inquiry—On motion of T. B. Ford, the case of F. V. Fisher was referred to a special Committee of Inquiry to be appointed by the Bishop. The Bishop appointed as this committee, Hiram Gould, T. B. Ford, R. E. Dunlap, Wm. R. Jeffrey, Jr., and James Moore.

Order of Day—At 11:30 the Conference entered into joint session with the Laymen's Association, and A. M. Hammer, president of the Association, and T. S. McDaniel were introduced and addressed the Conference. The Bishop introduced Edgar Blake, who represented him in an address to the Conference.

Introductions—Miss Dora M. Barnes, representing the "World Outlook"; A. W. Mell, Pacific Coast representative of the American Bible Society, and R. P. Hutton, Superintendent of the Oregon Anti-Saloon League, were introduced and each addressed the Conference.

There were also introduced H. O. Perry, of the Columbian River Conference; T. E. Elliott and J. M. Canse, of the Puget Sound Conference; D. L. Reed, of the West Virginia Conference, and W. E. Kloster, a recent transfer to the Oregon Conference.

Resolution—On motion of Clarence True Wilson, the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, We have learned that the management of our State Fair has permitted an appeal and argument in favor of the Brewers' Amendment to be printed on a full page of the official program, distributed to the thousands who throng its grounds each day;

Resolved, That we protest against this advocacy in our Prohibition State Fair grounds of an outlawed traffic which our citizens have repudiated, because brewery rule must never be allowed to come back in Oregon.

J. C. ROLLINS,
A. R. MACLEAN,
FRANK L. LOVELAND,
CLARENCE TRUE WILSON,
E. S. HAMMOND,
R. E. MYERS,
W. W. YOUNGSON.

Closing—Announcements were made and the benediction was pronounced by H. O. Perry.

Fourth Day

MORNING SESSION.

Saturday, Sept. 30, 1916.

Opening—Conference opened at 8:30 A. M. with a devotional service, Francis M. Larkin presiding. Hymns Nos. 461 and 490 were sung and Joseph H. Smith led in prayer. Francis M. Larkin read a Scripture lesson from the fourth chapter of II. Corinthians, and a few verses from the Acts, and addressed the Conference on the subject, "The Marvel of Our Christian Faith."

At 9:00 A. M. the Bishop took the chair.

Minutes—The minutes of Friday's session were read and approved.

Change of Relations—On motion of T. B. Ford, Edward Gittins, G. A. Jahn, L. W. Chandler and W. R. F. Browne were referred to the Board of Conference Relations with a view to changing their reation.

Resolution—On motion of C. L. Hamilton the following resolution presented by D. H. Leech was adopted:

Whereas, There has been confusion in the minds of the pastors concerning apportionments to the charges for the support of Conference Claimants as stated on pages 51 and 52 of the Conference Minutes of 1915, which has entailed considerable loss to the funds for distribution this year; therefore

Resolved, That the apportionments for 1916 be the same as that of 1915, namely 5 per cent of cash salary for charges paying over $300, and 3 per cent for those paying $300 or less.

Resolved Further, That the Secretary of the Conference Board of Stewards be instructed to forward to each pastor thirty days after the close of this session, and not less than thirty days prior to the opening of the Conference Session of 1917, a reminder of this action.

Question 24—Who are the Retired Ministers? The list of retired ministers was called and their characters were passed. The following were present and addressed the Conference: Joseph Hoberg, W. T. Kerr, James Lisle, S. E. Memminger, W. H. Myers, Samuel Snyder, Sanford Snyder, D. T. Summerville, M. C. Wire, T. L. Jones, G. F. Round and D. A. Watters.

Obituaries—On motion of T. B. Ford, the Committee on Memoirs

was instructed to prepare suitable obituaries for Mrs. Robert Booth, Mrs. Joseph Hoberg, G. G. Haley and Paul Leech.

Offering—An offering of $81 was taken for W. R. F. Browne.

Question 23—Who are the Supernumerary Ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation?

C. H. Lawrence (4), H. I. Rutledge (4). On motion of J. T. Abbett, the Secretary was instructed to communicate with C. H. Lawrence and notify him that he must report to his Conference or be located.

Made Effective—On motion of Hiram Gould, representing the Board of Conference Relations, C. T. McPherson was made effective.

Question 36—Where shall the next Conference be held? J. T. Moore, representing Springfield; W. S. Gordon, representing Astoria, and Geo. H. Bennett, representing Dallas, addressed the Conference, placing in nomination their respective charges. Springfield was chosen by unanimous vote of the Conference.

Old People's Home—W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., representing the Special Committee on the Methodist Old People's Home at Salem reported. On motion of C. R. Carlos the report was adopted with suggested changes by the Bishop:

"In order to a better understanding and for a fuller co-operation between the Old People's Home, located in Salem, and the Oregon Conference, we recommend that the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Oregon Conference, under whose auspices the said Old People's Home is operated, shall appoint a committee of five to confer with a like committee of five from the Oregon Conference, to be appointed by the Bishop. This joint committee shall consider the legal relationship of the Old People's Home to the Methodist Episcopal Church and the Oregon Conference, looking toward a closer relationship between them and the fixing of the legal status of that relationship.

"The Conference committee of five shall have power to represent and act for the Conference, with the concurrence of the Bishop, with the view to the immediate establishment of this proper legal relationship.

"When this shall have been done we commend the work of the Old People's Home to the favorable consideration of the pastors and people of the Oregon Conference, and we especially indorse the movement for a new building so much needed to carry on the work of this

most worthy institution. We further express our high appreciation of Mr. W. W. Brown and the Salem Commercial Club for their generous offer of assistance for a new $25,000 building.

"We further recommend that the pastors and people of the Oregon Conference give hearty and generous support in raising the $5,000 asked by the Board of Managers for the completion of the proposed new building.

"R. N. AVISON,
"W. R. JEFFREY, JR."

Report—Geo. F. Hopkins, Secretary of the Conference Claimants' Endowment Fund Commission, presented his report. On motion of J. W. McDougall it was adopted.

On motion of Geo. F. Hopkins, the recommendation of the Conference Claimants' Endowment Fund Commission to discontinue an agent in the field for the ensuing year was adopted.

The financial statement of the Treasurer of the Conference Claimants' Endowment Fund Commission relative to the salary of the Secretary, on motion of J. W. McDougall, was received and placed on file.

W. J. Douglass made the report of the Trustees of the Conference Claimants' Permanent Fund, and on motion of W. T. Kerr it was adopted. (See report.)

Trustees—On motion of W. J. Douglass, D. H. Leech was elected to take the place of W. T. Kerr, and R. E. Dunlap to take the place of T. L. Jones as Conference Trustees and Trustees of the Conference Claimants' Permanent Fund.

Sale of Property—On motion of C. T. Wilson, the Bishop and the District Superintendents were elected a commission to dispose of the unoccupied church property of the Conference by exchange or sale.

Change in Committee—On motion of Frank L. Loveland, W. W. Youngson was substituted for Frank L. Loveland on the Committee on Resolutions.

Annuity—On motion of D. H. Leech, the Board of Stewards were authorized to transfer a sufficient amount from the money received from the pastoral charges to the Annuity Fund to make the amount of the Annuity $6.

Introductions—Carl G. Doney, President of Willamette University; Edgar Blake, Secretary of the Board of Sunday Schools; H. J. Talbott, President of Kimball College of Theology; Robert H. Hughes,

representing the Book Concern; H. B. Schwartz, representing the Board of Foreign Missions, and Evangelist Joseph H. Smith, were introduced, all but the last named addressing the Conference.

Inaugural—R. N. Avison addressed the Conference, announcing the inaugural of President Carl G. Doney, of Willamette University, on October 13th, and invited the members of the Conference to be present.

Closing—Announcements were made and Joseph H. Smith pronounced the benediction.

Fifth Day

MORNING SESSION.

Sunday, October 1, 1916.

Opening—Conference opened at 6:30 A. M. with a Love Feast, Edward Gittins presiding. Hymns 301, 69, 544 and 291 wer sung Prayer was offered by E. Gittins and Robert Brymner read a Scripture lesson from the Seventeenth Chapter of the Gospel by St. John. A spirited testimony service was participated in by a large number. The benediction was pronounced by Robert Brymner.

The Sunday school met at 9:30. A large class, in which were many members of the Conference, was taught by Edwin Sherwood. The music was in charge of R. E. Dunlap. Prayer was offered by R. N. Avison, and W. S. Gordon led in the responsive reading of the Sunday school lesson.

D. H. Leech, representing the Conference Board of Stewards, took the annual offering for the Retired Ministers' Fund.

At 10:30 the regular service began. Hymns 530, 539, and 540 were sung. R. N. Avison led in prayer. Walton Skipworth read Luke 5:16-26. An offering for local Conference expenses was taken. Bishop Hughes expressed his disappointment that he was not permitted to preach, and introduced H. J. Talbot, President of Kimball College of Theology, who preached a sermon from the words: "Who can forgive sins, but God alone?" The Bishop pronounced the benediction.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Opening—Conference opened at 3:30 o'clock. Hymns 222 and 1 were sung. Prayer was offered by J. T. Abbett. The Bishop, assisted by the District Superintendents, ordained as Deacons, Sidney W. Hall and William Nicholl. Also at the same time and place, assisted by the District Superintendents, he ordained as Elders, Daniel Webster Moore and Cary Oscar Heath.

The Bishop presented the following

CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION.

This is to certify that on the first day of October, 1916, at Lebanon, Oregon, assisted by several Elders, I ordained as Deacons, Sidney W. Hall and William Nicholl.

And also, that on the same day and at the same place, assisted by several Elders, I ordained as Elders, Daniel Webster Moore and Cary Oscar Heath, all under authority of election by the Oregon Annual Conference.

MATTHEW SIMPSON HUGHES,

Bishop.

Closing—The session closed with the benediction by Bishop Hughes.

EVENING SESSION.

At 6:30 the Devotional Meeting of the Epworth League was in charge of D. Lester Fields.

At 7:30 Frank L. Loveland addressed the Conference on the subject, "One Hundred Years Ago. In Memory of Our Great American Leader, Francis Asbury."

Sixth Day

MORNING SESSION.

Monday, October 2, 1916.

Opening—Conference opened at 8:15 A. M. with a devotional ser-

vice led by W. R. Jeffrey, Jr. Hymns Nos. 530, 415, 538 were sung. S. E. Memminger and E. O. Eldridge led in prayer. W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., read a Scripture lesson from II. Timothy, fourth chapter, and commented upon the same.

At 8:30 A. M. the Bishop took the chair.

Minutes—The minutes of Saturday's session were read and approved.

Question 1—Is this Annual Conference incorcorated according to the requirements of the Discipline? Yes.

Transfers—The Bishop announced the transfer of W. L. Airheart, W. E. Kloster, F. W. Keagey and Chas. E. Gibson from the Columbia River Conference, S. A. Danford from the North Dakota, B. H. Lewis from the Idaho, Alfred A. Brittain and F. G. Decker from the Puget Sound, A. F. Lacy from the California, Joshua Stansfield from the Indiana, A. A. Heist from the Central Illinois and Geo. H. Parkinson from the New England.

Readmitted—On recommendation of H. Gould, representing the Board of Conference Relations, and on motion of T. B. Ford, H. T. Atkinson and C. B. Rees were admitted on certificates of location.

Question 4—Who have been received on credentials and from what churches? None.

Question 16—Who have died? C. M. Bryan, W. J. Gardner and J. H. Skidmore.

Question 17—Who have been located at their own request? None.

Question 18—Who have been located? None.

Withdrawn—Harry G. McKain on motion of T. B. Ford, and C. Mayne Knight, on motion of J. T. Abbett, were permitted to withdraw from the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Question 20—Who have been permitted to withdraw under charges or complaints? None.

Question 21—Who have been expelled? None.

F. V. Fisher—The report of the Special Committee in the case of F. V. Fisher was made by W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., and on motion of T. B. Ford it was adopted, as follows:

COMMITTEE OF INQUIRY.

Your Committee of Inquiry, in the case of Frederick V. Fisher, after careful investigation of the facts involved, beg leave to make the following report:

We recommend, first, that he be continued in the supernumerary relation and requested to locate.

Second, that if he does not comply with this request to locate, the Conference at its next session shall locate him without his consent.

Third, that the Secretary be instructed to notify him of this action of the Conference by registered letter, requesting registry return receipt.

HIRAM GOULD, Chairman,
WM. RILEY JEFFREY, JR., Sec'y.
R. E. DUNLAP,
JAMES MOORE,
T. B. FORD.

Triers of Appeals—On motion of J. W. McDougall, the nominations of the Cabinet for Triers of Appeals were elected: R. E. Smith, Walton Skipworth, R. N. Avison, W. J. Douglass; Reserves, Joseph Knotts, J. S. Green.

Retired—On motion of H. Gould, representing the Board of Conference Relations, L. W. Chandler, Edward Gittins, W. R. F. Browne and G. A. Jahn were granted the retired relation.

Stewards' Report—On motion of D. H. Leech, chairman, the report of the Conference Board of Stewards was adopted and he was authorized to appoint a committee to meet with him after Conference to adjust certain matters incident to the receipt and distribution of the funds and to mail the checks to the claimants.

Change of Relation—On motion of H. Gould, representing the Board of Conference Relations, W. J. Weber was granted a supernumerary relation.

Statistical Report—D. Lester Fields, Statistician, read the statistical report by Conference totals. On motion of L. W. Chandler it was adopted.

Treasurer's Report—C. O. McCulloch, Treasurer, read the Treasurer's Report by Conference totals. On motion of T. B. Ford it was adopted.

To Reimburse—On motion of J. W. McDougall an offering was taken to reimburse the Treasurer for expenses incident to his office.

Conference Board of Nine—W. W. Youngson read the report of the Conference Board of Nine, and on motion of W. T. Kerr it was adopted.

Reports—On motion of T. B. Ford all reports that do not require Conference action and in which there are no questions necessitating discussion were ordered filed with the Secretary:

Evangelism by J. K. Hawkins; American Bible Society, by J. C. Rollins; Sanctity of the Sabbath, by A. C. Brackenbury; Children's Day, by C. O. Heath; Epworth League, by A. S. Hisey; Temperance, by W. E. Ingalls; Auditing Committee, by C. L. Dark; Brotherhood, by E. O. Eldridge; Indian Work, by J. W. Warrell, and Sunday School Missionary, by M. B. Parounnagian. (See Reports.)

Nominations—The list of Cabinet nominations for Conference Boards and Committees was read by J. W. McDougall, and on motion of T. B. Ford was adopted.

Missionary Appropriations—The list of Missionary appropriations as made by the District Superintendents was presented by J. W. McDougall, and on his motion was adopted.

Conference Recommendations—The recommendations of the District Superintendents to the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension was presented by J. W. McDougall, and on his motion adopted.

Reports—The following reports on motion of their respective readers were adopted: Finance Commission, by J. K. Hawkins; Epworth League Institute, by J. C. Spencer; Education, by Walton Skipworth; Books and Periodicals, by W. J. Douglass; Seminary Men's Association, by E. S. Hammond; Resolutions, by W. W. Youngson.

Chair—The Bishop called H. Gould to the chair.

Seminary Men's Association—On motion of E. S. Hammond, R. N. Avison, James Moore, Edwin Sherwood, W. W. Youngson and M. T. Wire were elected a committee to select a course of study and direct the affairs of the Association.

Conference Board of Stewars—On motion of D. H. Leech, James Moore was substituted for E. Gittins on the Conference Board of Stewards.

Introduction—W. B. Hollingshead, Secretary of Apportionments, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Chair Resumed—The Bishop resumed the chair.

To Adjourn—On motion of J. T. Abbett it was ordered that after such remarks as the Bishop may choose to make and the reading of the appointments the Conference adjourn sine die.

Closing—J. T. Abbett led in prayer and the Bishop addressed the Conference. The appointments were read and the Bishop pronounced the benediction.

MATTHEW SIMPSON HUGHES, Bishop.

C. C. RARICK, Secretary.

Reports

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY.

The American Bible Society, this year, celebrates its one hundredth anniversary.

General recognition has been given by practically all of the governing bodies of the Protestant churches. The celebration of the Society's Centennial will continue throughout the year and it is urged that all churches who have not as yet made use of the splendid literature which is provided by the Society, both for the Sunday School and for the Church, will avail themselves of this opportunity to exalt the Word of God.

It is estimated that in the United States 90 per cent of the foreigners from Roman Catholic countries are without any portion of God's Word and over 15 to 20 per cent of the native born have no Bibles in their homes.

During 1915 there were 550 workers in the United States supervised by nine Agency Secretaries, and, in the foreign lands, under the direction of twelve able Agents, there were 1,450 workers, a total of 2,000 engaged in the world-wide work of Bible distribution.

There were distributed in the United States 1,184,991 volumes in ninety-nine different languages and, in foreign countries, 3,706,110, making a total of 4,491,101 copies.

Notwithstanding war conditions there is a general increasing demand for the Word of God throughout the earth and we hereby pledge ourselves to support the Society which represents us in the translation, printing and distribution of the Bible, to the end that the knowledge and power of the Word may hasten the coming of the Kingdom of Christ throughout the world.

J. C. ROLLINS,
H. N. ALDRICH,
A. B. CALDER.

AUDITING COMMITTEE'S REPORT

Your Committee appointed to audit the books of Conference Treasurer and Conference Secretary would respectfully report that we have examined same and find them correct.

C. L. DARK,
B. A. BRISTOL,
H. W. RUMMELL,
W. BOYD MOORE,
Auditing Committee.

BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

We, your committee on Books and Periodicals, wish to record our great appreciation of the achievements of our publishing interests during the past year and urge the continued loyalty of all our people in their patronage and support.

The increased cost of production in labor and material, however, presents a serious difficulty and one that we may fail in unless we put forth special efforts in the support of our work during the coming year. The notice of the increased price in subscriptions demands that unusual efforts be put forth in order that the ground gained may be held.

We recommend that plans be laid by each district for the observance of "Advocate Day" in order that the number of subscribers may even be increased under the present emergency. We recommend that a plan similar to the following may be arranged:

1. Some week, before the end of the year, be agreed upon by the District Superintendent and the Editor.
2. Preceding the week set all charges on that district shall send in a short news item concerning the work.
3. Sample copies in sufficient number shall be ordered by each pastor for distribution.
4. An earnest every member canvass shall be made by the pastor assisted by a local committee.
5. Reports of the results shall be made to the District Superintendent who shall tabulate the same and forward to the Advocate office.

We urge that the sales room at Portland be patronized and that orders for Sunday School supplies be placed in that office. To Editor Hughes we pledge our most earnest and sympathetic co-operation for the best Pacific Christian Advocate we have ever had.

We especially call attention to the books commended by our theological professors and advocated by our book concern.

S. H. DEWARTS,
J. T. MOORE,
E. C. RICHARDS.

METHODIST BROTHERHOOD.

We commend this organization as an effective agency for properly unifying and utilizing the men of the church. We recommend the forming of Brotherhoods except in churches where an organized Men's Bible Class is achieving the same results by unusual activity.

E. C. ELDRIDGE,
D. H. LEECH,
MELVILLE T. WIRE,
J. C. SPENCER.

COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN'S DAY

The Committee on Children's Day is gratified to note that the pastors are realizing the importance of this day. The offering given on this occasion is used to aid worthy young people in their college preparation for a life work.

We believe money spent in this manner is a most commendable investment. The collections this year amount to $427.

The Committee recommends that the pastors and Sunday School superintendents see that the second Sunday in June be observed as Children's Day and that a thorough explanation is made before the collections are taken, concerning the purpose of this fund.

Signed:

C. O. HEATH,
T. H. DOWNS.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

The responsibility of the moral and intellectual training of the thousands of children and young people in our own land and other countries rests largely with us as a Church.

Board of Education

The intentions and achievements of this board make it worthy of

our highest appreciation and strongest support.

1. The Children's Day collection which has aided from the beginning 23,386 students, is more helpful and efficient than ever before. The funds obtained from this source are not yet large enough to meet the demands.

2. Since the General Conference has provided that our Board of Education undertake to help care for the religious work in tax-supported institutions the calls upon the Board's treasury are nearly doubled. Clearly it should have its full 20 per cent up to the amount apportioned to this Conference for the one public educational collection by the General Conference Commission on Finance. Whatever we may raise above that apportionment is ours.

3. While we anticipate helpful results from the joint efforts of the Boards of Home Mission and Church Extension and the Board of Education, it is evident that much of this responsibility must continue with the local constituents of the work.

4. We congratulate the Board upon the "Christian Student," so much in favor with educators because of its superior excellence.

Willamette University

The past year has been pleasing to the friends of Willamette University. The faculty has been exceptionally competent, there has been the finest spirit of co-operation, the enrollment increased fifty-six (56) and the character of the students has been wholesome and Christian. Willamette is pledged to promote Christian character and to foster the highest scholarship; and in this she is maintaining her best traditions.

Except for the loss of instructors connected with the academy, which is now discontinued, the faculty remains the same as last year, the best evidence of their ability and worth.

We again emphasize the judgment that Christian education is fundamentally important to the advancement of Christianity, and for the development of a safe citizenship. Because of this assurance we look to Willamette University to perform an exalted service and to our people to support the institution in doing it. We urge the pastors to use their best efforts to inform our youth about Willamette and early to send their names to the president.

Woman's Dormitory

Attention is again called to the insistent need for a new dormitory for women. Not to have this building at an early date will seriously interfere with the progress of the school and be a reproach to the people of our Church. A small portion of the fund for such a building is pledged and we urge the Trustees quickly to become actively interested in the matter.

Apportionments

The last General Conference made the collection for education to be one of the apportioned benevolences, and we pledge our best efforts to meet this in full. Of this fund, 20 per cent is to go to the New York office for general educational purposes, and we recommend that 16 per cent be given to Kimball College of Theology, and the balance, 64 per cent, be given to Willamette University.

Trustees

We recommend the election of the following named as Trustees: R. A. Booth, Hiram Gould, W. S. Gordon; terms to expire 1919.

Administration

We express our confidence in the administration of the affairs of the University and pledge our support to its high standards of culture and morals.

President Doney

We rejoice in the favor and success with which he is meeting in his office and field of service. And your Committee on Education notes with pleasure the fitting and splendid inauguration planned for Dr. Doney as President of Willamette University and scheduled to take place on the 13th of October, next.

Kimball College of Theology

The friends of the College are multiplying continually. Among our people the desire for a trained ministry finds expression in their attitude towards their theological school. The leaders in the Conferences are its logical supporters.

After the most searching inquiry into the surroundings, work, present condition, and the outlook for the College, the Board of Education placed its seal of approval upon it and made a substantial contribution to its current expenses. The following resolutions are presented for your adoption:

Resolved:

1. That we continue to endorse Kimball College of Theology as a necessary auxiliary to the Christian work in the Northwest.

2. That we commend the effort to enlist the interest of our ministers, and of our Sunday Schools, in the endowment of the John Flinn Memorial Chair of Systematic Theology, and we recommend that such of our Sunday Schools as have not already contributed to that fund shall have an early opportunity to do so.

3. We recommond that the Board of Education continue to ex-

tend to the College such financial help as the conditions may justify.

4. We recommend the appointment of Dr. Edwin Sherwood and of Dr. Everett S. Hammond to professorships in the College, and of Dr. Walton Skipworth and Dr. George H. Parkinson as Conference visitors.

Of the Sunday Schools reporting contributions for the John Flinn Memorial Chair of Systematic Theology the Marquam Sunday School in the Marquam and Hubbard charge in the Salem District, contributed the largest amount for members present on the day the collection was taken. Such "honorable mention" is due this charge.

New Legislation

In compliance with the Discipline of the Church we recommend the organization of an "Annual Conference Board of Education" as provided for by the last General Conference, and place in nomination one minister and one layman from each district, as follows:

Eugene District—Ministerial, James Moore; lay, R. A. Booth.

Klamath District—Ministerial, W. J. Douglass; lay, O. C. Brown.

Portland District—Ministerial, C. R. Carlos; lay, O. C. Bortzmyer.

Salem District—Ministerial, R. N. Avison; lay, F. B. Sackett.

These men shall serve for three years—James Moore, R. A. Booth, W. J. Douglass.

For two years—O. C. Brown, O. C. Bortzmyer, C. R. Carlos.

For one year—R. N. Avison, F. B. Sackett.

Text Books

We urgently recommend to the State and local public Sunday School authorities that suitable text books on moral science and Christian ethics be placed in the courses of study in all departments of our public schools.

We record our deep and abiding interest in all our institutions of learning, literary and theological, and in the whole field of education as covered by our Methodism.

R. N. AVISON, Chairman.
WALTON SKIPWORTH, Secretary.

CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS' ENDOWMENT SECRETARY REPORT.

Dear Bishop and Brethren:—

Two years ago the Oregon Conference voted to place an agent in the field to increase the Permanent Fund for the Conference Claimants

for this Conference. In accord with this action I have been appointed each year since to this work. During that time the ever growing hard times in this state has made it an exceedingly difficult task to obtain funds for any but the regular church work.

It was thought best by the Conference Claimants' Commission appointed by this Conference that no collections nor subscriptions be taken in the public services. So results have come entirely from personal work. Your Secretary has not been in any way satisfied with the results obtained, especially as far as cash recipts are concerned. However, we have labored as faithfully as we ever did in any other work assigned us by our church. The trustees of the Permanent Fund will report about $18,000 increase of their fund during the two years' period since this office was created.

We have been to nearly all the charges in the Conference, giving an address in the interests of this work. We have very generally found our people had little or no realization of the needs of a Permanent Fund. We are pleased to report a constantly growing sentiment in favor of this movement. We know that several wills have been made, wherein this fund will become a beneficiary in considerable amounts.

We have tried to present this work in all its phases by means of short articles almost weekly in the Pacific Christian Advocate. We know of results that have obtained from these items. We have also distributed close to 16,000 tracts bearing on this subject. We have tried to educate and inspire our people in every way possible.

An Endowment from $100,000 to $200,000 is essential to enable this Conference to meet the disciplinary requirements by paying the FULL CLAIMS. It is necessary! it is possible of accomplishment; it can, and it must be done. It should be done in the near future. We leave all to the Great Father above, hoping and praying that in due time He will inspire His people called Methodist in the Oregon Conference and place these amounts in the Endowment.

GEO. F. HOPKINS,
Endowment Secretary.

REPORT TO THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE OREGON CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH AND TO THE LAYMEN'S ASSOCIATION OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, OF THE RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS PERMANENT FUND OF THE OREGON CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—A. F. FLEGEL, TREASURER—FOR THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 23rd, 1916.

REVENUE ACCOUNT.

Receipts.

Interest on H. Forsman note	$ 30.00
Crop of hay from 80 acre ranch, Rupert, Idaho	160.45
Return premium on insurance policy cancelled	2.40
Beets and potatoes from 80 acre ranch, Rupert, Idaho	19.00
Rent of 40 acre ranch, Rupert, Idaho	399.35
Interest on J. H. Stroub note and mortgage	11.38
Interest on H. Forsman's note and mortgage	30.00
Interest on F. Bilyeu note and mortgage	15.00
Interest on H. Forsman's note and mortgage	30.00
Interest on C. A. Meyer's note and mortgage	35.00
Interest on Nordby-Craven note and mortgage	28.00
Interest on H. Forsman's note and mortgage	30.00
Interest on F. Bilyeu's note and mortgage	15.00
Interest on H. Forsman's note and mortgage	30.00
Income from Charlotte Hornbuckle Trust, held by Security Savings & Trust Company	12.00
Interest on R. A. Booth's note	250.00
Interest on J. I. Jones' note	35.00
Interest on Nordby note and mortgage	28.00
Interest on C. A. Meyers' note and mortgage	35.00
Interest on H. Forsman's note and mortgage	30.00
Interest on H. Forsman's note and mortgage	30.00
Interest on F. Bilyeu's note and mortgage	15.00
Interest on H. Forsman's note and mortgage	30.00
Interest on P. J. Brix's note and mortgage	30.00
Interest on Dr. Hall's note	1.80
Total receipts	$ 1,332.38

Disbursements.

Annuity L. W. Chandler	$ 52.50
One-half 1916 tax, Idaho ranch	46.07

1915 water tax, Idaho ranch		36.59
W. T. Kerr, expenses to Canby		3.00
Interest to Northwestern National Bank on borrowed money		17.50
Interest to Northwestern National Bank on borrowed money		1.85
Alfalfa seed for 80 acre tract, Rupert, Idaho		21.75
L. W. Chandler annuity		52.50
Abstract of Title for 80 acre tract, Rupert, Idaho		6.75
1915 tax on Canby Camp Ground property		35.18
Total disbursements		$ 273.69
Net revenue		$ 1,058.69
Reserved for one-half Idaho tax	$46.07	
Reserved for L. W. Chandler annuity	52.50—	
Total reserve		98.57
Balance of cash on hand		$ 960.12

We herewith enclose our check, payable to the order of the Treasurer of the Oregon Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, for $960.00, in accordance with the articles of incorporation of the Permanent Fund.

Respectfully Submitted,

Treasurer.

INVENTORY OF PROPERTIES OWNED BY THE CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS' PERMANENT FUND OF THE OREGON CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Trustees elected by the Oregon Conference:

W. T. Kerr, term expires 1916.
T. L. Jones, terms expires 1917.
Hiram Gould, terms expires 1918.

Trustees elected by the Laymen's Association:

J. I. Jones, term expires 1916.
A. F. Flegel, term expires 1917.
Theo. Fessler, term expires 1918.

Permanent Fund.

Cash on hand	$ 428.89
Invested funds, secured by first mortgages on real property	5,550.00
Promissory notes—unsecured (donations)	5,510.00
Canby Camp Grounds	4,000.00
40 acre farm, Rupert, Idaho, estimated value	4,500.00

Balance due (net) on sale of 80 acre farm, Rupert, Idaho..	5,200.00
108 acre farm in Texas, estimated value.....	5,000.00
	$30,188.89
Received for Permanent Fund during the year:	
Bequest from Rebecca Henness.....	$ 700.00
Bequest from W. T. Pearce.....	250.00
Collections from Laymen's Association:	
Moneys collected in 1914 and 1915 Conference years by Permanent Fund Commission.....	386.95
Total for year	$ 1,336.95
We paid off mortgages on the Idaho land amounting to.....	$ 2,001.20
And paid in foreclosing mortgage and taxes on Texas land	382.59
	$ 2,383.79
There is now due rent of Idaho 40 acre tract for 1916, due Dec. 1st, 1916.....	$ 337.50
Rent of Canby land.....	200.00
	$ 537.50

For the purpose of encouraging friends to invest their funds in the annuity bonds of the Fund, it is the purpose of the Trustees to set aside mortgages and notes in a special depository to the end that there will always be interest bearing securities sufficient in amount to realize the annual payments due upon the annuity bonds and, in addition to all of the property of the Fund, each annuity bond will be specially secured, and we hope the members of the Conference will recommend this class of investment for persons with money to give, but who must have an income so long as they live. Usually we can pay 6 or 7 per cent quarterly or semi-annually, but for aged persons—in special cases—we can pay as high as 10 per cent per annum.

CONFERENCE DEACONESS BOARD OF NINE

The Conference Deaconess Board of Nine, submit the following report to the Oregon Annual Conference:

There were five (5) Deaconesses connected with the Deaconess Home in Portland during the past year. The Superintendent of the Home, Miss Nellie M. Curtiss, reports as follows:

Total number of calls	4,338
Total number of sick calls	785

Letters and postals	361
Literature given out	811
Bibles	10
Garments	2,126
Articles of bedding	37
Baskets of food or orders for groceries	246
Persons given help	526
Medical attention	44
Money spent	$613.13
Persons nursed	100
Hours spent in nursing	439
Total number of children taught in Sunday Schools	1,184
Days spent in special singing by evangelistic deaconess	179

THE REPORT OF TREASURER OF METHODIST DEACNOESS ASSOCIATION OF OREGON CONFERENCE BUILDING FUND FROM SEPTEMBER 20, 1915, TO SEPTEMBER 20, 1916, IS AS FOLLOWS:

September 20, 1915, balance in fund	$43.50
Received on subscriptions	17.27
Received from Treasurer's General Fund	10.00
	$70.77
April 13, 1916, paid semi-annual interest on first mortgage	$70.00
Balance on hand	.77

C. W. DeGRAFF,
Treas. Building Account.

The licenses of the following Deaconesses are hereby referred to the annual Conference for approval, with the favorable recommendation of the Conference Board of Nine:

Miss Nellie M. Curtiss, Superintendent of the Home.
Miss Sadie Smith.
Miss Florence Twidwell.
Miss Della Milligan.
Mrs. Theresa Brown.
Miss Mary J. Hepburn.

A certificate of recognition as a probationer is recommended in the case of Miss Margaret S. Davies.

Miss Jennie Gasser has been transferred to the Puget Sound Conference.

Miss Mary J. Hepburn, at her own request, has been granted a leave of absence to September 1st, 1917, on account of ill health.

We present the following nominations and recommend for election as members of the Conference Board of Nine for the three years ending 1919:

The Superintendent of the Portland District.

Rev. R. Elmer Smith and Mrs. Matt S. Hughes.

The Trustees of the Deaconess Home ask the approval by this Annual Conference of the following recommendations:

First. That the pulpits of the various churches be opened to the Deaconesses for the presentation of the work;

Second. That the churches be asked to send donations of fruit, clothing, or any supplies available to the Deaconess Home.

Third. Most earnestly to recommend to the Pastors of the Conference, Miss Florence E. Twidwell, Evangelistic singer and worker for evangelistic services.

The officers for the ensuing year are:

President, Rev. W. W. Youngson.

Vice-President, Rev. G. F. Hopkins.

Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. F. W. Brooke, 834 Colonial Ave., Portland, Oregon.

We ask the members of the Conference, particularly those employing Deaconesses, to carefully read, study and to be governed by the rules, directions and provisions of the discipline, concerning the work of the Deaconesses and the General Board of Deaconesses.

WILLIAM WALLACE YOUNGSON, President.
MRS. F. W. BROOKE, Secretary.

Resolved, That in the event of any vacancy occuring in the Conference Board of Nine the Board is hereby authorized to fill such a vacancy.

W. W. YOUNGSON,
R. E. DUNLAP,
C. C. RARICK.

REPORT OF THE ENDOWMENT TRUSTEES OF WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY TO THE OREGON CONFERENCE SESSION OF 1916

Permit your Committee on the Endowment of Willamette University to report as follows:

Resources

Investments	$33,466.00
Subscription notes	235.00

Cash on hand uninvested	3,472.25
	$37,173.25
Interest collected during the year	$ 1,821.10
Interest on hand at last report	282.60
	$ 2,103.70
Amount added to principal	$ 200.00
Disbursements of interest	1,757.10
Cash on hand	146.60
	$2,103.70

During the year the principal of the endowment has been increased by the sum of $200.00 which was appropriated from the interest collected. This is according to the requirements of the Endowment Fund.

During the year there have been no collections made on account of the subscription notes.

Respectfully submitted,
A. M. SMITH,
T. S. McDANIEL,
G. F. JOHNSON,
Endowment Trustees of
Willamette University.

THE EPWORTH LEAGUE

Your Committee on Epworth League respectfully submits this report and recommends as follows:

1. Recognizing the value of the established agencies of the League for increasing its efficiency we urge (a) that subscription to the Epworth Herald be stimulated by every legitimate means; (b) that our pastors exercise special care to have the dues to the central office promptly and fully paid; and (c) that every League be urged to attain all the points set forth for a Standard Epworth League in the Efficiency Chart of the central office.

2. We heartily approve the locating of the Oregon Conference Epworth League Institute at Jefferson for the coming year and urge that every league send at least one delegate to the Institute in 1917, paying the expense of said delegate or delegates, in whole or in part.

Respectfully submitted,
M. T. WIRE,
E. M. SMITH,
A. S. HISEY.

EPWORTH LEAGUE INSTITUTE

To the Oregon Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church:

In spite of the hard times and the fact that many of our young men were at the front, this year's Institute showed a small increase over the preceding years. The lack of interest on the part of a large majority of the pastors seemed to be clearly shown. This must be remedied if the young people of the Oregon Conference are to have the advantage that will make them more efficient laborers for the Lord Jesus Christ. We must have your help and active support or else we will have to close the doors, or else keep the attendance down to the minimum.

We have changed the location of the Institute for the future, and will have it at Camp Epworth, just across the Santiam River from Jefferson. The people of Jefferson want the Institute, and the League of this place has placed a 20 by 30 foot sign along the Pacific Highway and in view of the passengers on the Southern Pacific. The City of Jefferson has granted us the privilege, free of charge, to attach our water pipe on to that of the city. In the Spring an Institute Day is to be declared by the mayor and the citizens of the city will go to the grounds, have a regular cleanup and build a dining hall if we furnish the lumber and nails.

Oct. 30-Nov. 4 has been declared Institute Week, when money is to be raised by each League of the Conference for making next year's the best and by far the largest gathering of young people that we have yet had for educating themselves for the work of the Master. We can do it if you will help us, and thus reach a larger number of young people in your communities. We are counting on you to give us your most active and helpful support.

Following is my financial report for the year ending September 27, 1916: .....

Receipts and Assets.

Received from Treasurer	$ 20.00
Received from Registrations	114.00
Received from Klamath District League	10.00
Received from Portland District League	8.00
Received from Salem District League	5.00
Received from Dr. Youngson (Donation)	10.00
Received from Salem First Church (Loose Collections)	3.25
Received from Profit on Board	45.04
Amount in Treasury	12.20
Due from Eugene District League	10.00
Due from Portland District League	12.00
Total Receipts and Assets	$249.49

Disbursements

Paid out for work in connection with Institute	$ 10.30
Central Office (Seals and Certificates)	1.75
Postage	14.20
Stationery and Supplies	10.05
Trips to District Meetings	4.40
Posters and Cut for same	20.50
Faculty Expenses	141.02
Telegrams	4.42
Cost of Pooling (Three Leagues did not pay their share of pooling expenses)	8.65
Total Disbursements	$215.29

Recapitulation

Receipts and Assets	$249.49
Disbursements	215.29
	$ 34.20

Respectfully submitted,
BURGESS F. FORD,
Corresponding Secretary.
Presented by J. C. Spencer.

EVANGELISM

Brethren:

We rejoice over the action of the last General Conference in the extension of plans for inspiring the Church to a more earnest pastoral and personal evangelism.

We have noted with interest that our preachers are putting a stronger emphasis on the old doctrines that have made Methodism famous as a soul saving church.

We would urge our pastors to have the waste basket handy, with rare exceptions, for many of the letters used as advanced agents of evangelistic parties; many leaders of such come as "angels of light," but prove to be nothing more than "Absoloms at the gate."

We would advise against hasty recommendations of evangelists. It would be better to defer testimonials to be used in our church papers and in circulars, until after such time has elapsed for the probable reaction.

We would urge the greatest possible caution against hyphenated religionists of other denominations, who maliciously or otherwise in-

trude, and inject by testimony or exhortation, an unwholesome influence into the services of the church. We should sustain the same relation to these that a mother would sustain to a stranger who would enter the home and slap the children.

We recommend that every Church lay siege against the forces of iniquity. We should be satisfied with nothing short of a breaking up of the fallow ground, and seeking the Lord until he rain righteousness upon the people.

A perennial revival should be our ideal, and when special revival meetings are conducted, wherever possible it should be done with the pastor as his own evangelist.

We look forward with delightful anticipation to a spiritual uplift through the year, and consequently an ingathering of many souls.

J. K. HAWKINS,
A. C. BRACKENBURY,
J. S. GREEN.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Dear Brethren: Your Finance Commission is composed of J. K. Hawkins, G. F. Hopkins, W. R. Jeffery, Jr., D. H. Leech, R. A. Booth, Eugene; T. S. McDaniel, Portland; D. T. Lawton, Medford; A. A. Lee, Salem.

We rejoice in the splendid report of the Commission on Finance to the General Conference by Rev. Thomas Nicholson, D. D., now Bishop, showing an increase in salaries for our preachers for the three years ending of more than four million, as compared with the preceding three years, and nearly three-quarters of a million dollars to the apportioned benevolences.

Soon after the General Conference adjourned a communication was directed to each pastoral charge, urging the adoption at the earliest possible time of the New Disciplinary Financial Plan enacted by the General Conference, placing special emphasis on systematic instruction on the subject of Christian Stewardship, and every member canvass for pledges to the benevolences and current expenses of the Church, prior to the beginning of the fiscal year. We urge

The adoption and vigorous operation of the New Disciplinary Financial Plan, and when not already done, to begin work at once.

The pressing first of the Benevolent Claims.

The use of the Duplex Envelope as a collection device.

The election of a Benevolent Treasurer with a separate set of records.

The remittance of all moneys collected for benevolences at least quarterly.

The protection of our pulpits from non-official financial appeals.

District meetings for educational and inspirational purposes, and sub-district meetings when district meetings cannot be held.

J. K. HAWKINS,
GEO. F. HOPKINS,
D. H. LEECH,
WM. RILEY JEFFREY, JR.
T. S. McDANIEL.

REPORT OF THE INDIAN WORK

The work on the Klamath and Siletz Indian Reservations has been faithfully carried on during the year by three missionaries. Notwithstanding the difficulties of the work and the worldly influences with which the Indians are surrounded, some advance has been made and conversions are reported.

The work on the Klamath Indian Reservation at the Agency end has been prosecuted by G. C. Morris, who reports progress, and notes with pleasure the courtesy extended and encouragement given to the work by the Reservation superintendent, Wm. B. Freer.

The Maddux fund has made possible the continuation of a good work at Yanix. On this field, in charge of W. W. Hevener, we hear of progress especially in Sunday School work.

The Siletz work has been reported on favorably by the pastor, G. C. Scudder. He speaks of that tribe as in advance of others in civilization, education and morals. He sees for the year to come great possibilities under efficient leadership.

The Indian work in these fields given into our charge by the government demands the largest help possible from our Conference and from the Board of Home Missions in order to successful achievement.

F. S. CLEMO,
E. C. RICHARDS,
C. L. HAMILTON,
J. W. WARRELL.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.

To the Bishop and Members of the Oregon Conference:

Your Committee on Resolutions would respectfully report as follows:

Resolved:

First, that we thank the Pastor, Choir, Officers and Members of this Church for the multiplied courtesies extended to us. While the Pastor has, with painstaking care, safeguarded our every interest and anticipated our every want, yet, in a very special sense are we indebted to his daughter, Rosemary, for the original and unique manner in which she has looked after the details of entertainment. We record with pleasure our deep appreciation of her valuable services.

Second, to the Railway company, the press of Lebanon and of Portland, the officers of the bank, and our sister churches, for the excellent meals provided and for the opening of their doors and pulpits to us, we record our grateful recognition.

Third, in the visits of distinguished representatives of the various connectional institutions of the church we have been highly favored. With great delight have we listened to the morning addresses of Dr. Francis M. Larkin, Editor of the California Christian Advocate.

Fourth, that to those who have been transferred into our Conference we extend the hand of welcome, while we commend in the spirit of Christian fellowship, those who are being transferred to other Conferences.

Concerning the Bishop:

Whereas, We find ourselves at the close of the Conference session more enthusiastic in approval of the presence and presidency of Bishop Matthew Simpson Hughes than even at the beginning; therefore

Resolved, That in addition to what we have already said we hereby express our gratitude to the authorities of the Church for assigning to us one of its ablest and choicest General Superintendents as Resident Bishop of the Portland Area. His knowledge of parliamentary law, together with his acquaintance with the polity of the church; his grasp of the details of Conference proceedings; his unfailing good humor and notable brotherliness combine to render him a presiding officer of superior merit. In the administration of his great office there is in him nothing of the martinet. By his approachableness, sympathetic spirit and kindliness he makes us feel that he will assuredly spare no endeavor to serve our interests as best he can while serving the work. We regard him as master of the situation and confidently look for peace and prosperity under his leadership. We hereby pledge him our loyal co-operation in securing for this area a gracious advance.

W. W. YOUNGSON,
WM. RILEY JEFFREY, JR.
H. N. ALDRICH.

SANCITY OF THE SABBATH

The recognition of one day in seven for rest and worship is a scientific necessity to the physical, intellectual, social, moral and religious nature of man.

The Fourth Commandment is based upon the fundimental law of human nature. The history of nations and the teachings of Revelation unite in declaring that both the economic and spiritual progress of the world depends largely upon the sancity of the Lord's Day.

We therefore note with serious concern the menace which is offered to the sancity of this day by the greed for gold and the lust for pleasure.

At the next November election a ballot will be taken for the repeal of the Sunday law of Oregon; and unless the majority of the people can be awakened to vote against this repeal, all forms of Sunday labor and business and amusements will be legalized throughout the State, with the one exception of barbering.

Therefore your Committee strongly urges:

That each pastor preach on this important subject before the coming election, and urge his congregation to vote against the repeal of the Sunday law.

That a committee be appointed in each Church by the pastor or Quarterly Conference, to work for the promotion of both a civil and a religious Sabbath.

That as Churches we will co-operate with other organizations for the enactment of an improved form of Sunday law through the next State Legislature, and for the creation of a public conscience on the proper observance of the Sabbath.

That we approve the work which has been done through the past year under the auspices of the Commission on Social Service of our Conference, in connection with the field labors of Brother G. L. Tufts, and that we stand committed to engage in a determined and continuous campaign until Oregon shall have outlawed all unnecessary Sunday labor and business, and all forms of commercialized Sunday sports and amusements.

We herewith record our sincere regret that the management of the Oregon State Fair has, according to the reports published in the press, continued the fair officially through Sunday, October 1, thereby allying themselves with those interests that are moving toward the breaking down of the Christian Sabbath, and we respectfully protest against this stain upon the State of Oregon.

Respectfully submitted, A. C. BRACKENBURY,
R. C. YOUNG,
EDWIN SHERWOOD,
W. W. YOUNGSON.

SEMINARY MEN'S ASSOCIATION.

To the Oregon Annual Conference:

The undersigned, representing the Seminary Men's Association, after careful consideration, would recommend to this Conference:

First. The organization of an association to be known as "The Post Graduate Association of the Oregon Conference."

Second. The purpose of said Association shall be, "To promote and direct habits of systematic study among the ministers of the Conference.

Third. Membership in the Association shall be open to every minister of the Conference who has completed the Conference Course of Study.

Fourth. And we further recommend the appointment of a committee of five ministers who shall select a course of study and direct the affairs of the Association for the ensuing Conference year.

Signed,

THOS. D. YARNES, Chairman,
E. SHERWOOD, Secretary,
J. C. SPENCER,
R. N. AVISON,
E. S. HAMMOND,
W. W. YOUNGSON.

REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE BOARD OF STEWARDS

We, the Conference Board of Stewards, submit the following report. We have 47 Claimants, 31 Superannuates, 15 Widows, 1 Orphan. Their claims aggregate $16,257, being $3,052 more than last year.

To meet these claims we have received from:

Book Concern	$2,377	Decrease	$213
Interest on Permanent Fund	960	Increase	60
Pastoral Charges	3,709.	Decrease	104
Women's Home Missionary Society	50		
Connectional Fund	200	Decrease	50
Conference Sunday Collection	118	Increase	18
Ross Fund	34	Increase	34
Total	$7,448	Decrease	255

Annuity Fund:

Book Concern	$2,377
Interest on Permanent Fund	960

Ross Fund	34
Pastoral Charges	3,235
Total	$6,606

Special Fund:

Pastoral Charges	$ 474
Women's Home Missionary Society	50
Connectional Fund	200
Conference Sunday Collection	118
Total	$ 842

We recommend the following distribution:

Benificiary	Years Service	Annuity Claim	Annuity Paid	Special Paid	Total
Joseph Hoberg	10	140	60	130	190
Robert Booth	21	294	126	74	200
David Wolfe	14	196	84		80
A. C. Fairchield	38	532	228	30	258
F. H. Calder	16	224	96		96
W. H. Myers	19	266	114		114
W. S. Holcomb	19	266	114		114
Samuel Snyder	24	336	114		144
S. E. Meminger	26	364	156	118	274
C. A. Stockwell	32	448	192		192
C. A. Lewis	30	420	180	30	210
C. E. Cline	38	532	228		228
J. L. Stratford	21	294	126	53	179
Sanford Snyder	34	476	204		204
W. T. Kerr	30	420	180		180
M. C. Wire	33	462	198		198
N. S. Buckner	27	378	162		162
G. F. Round	23	322	138		138
T. L. Jones	35	490	210	75	285
Asa Sleeth	38	532	228		228
C. M. Rees	16	224	96		96
D. T. Summerville	40	560	240		240
H. Oberg	21	294	126		126
A. Coslet	23	322	138	20	158
D. A. Watters	39	546	234		234
James Lisle	50	700	300		300
E. Gittins	31	434	186		186
W. R. F. Browne	22	308	132	66	198
E. T. Luther	4	56	24		24
L. W. Chandler	30	420	180		180
G. A. Jahn	26	364	156		156

Mrs. C. Alderson	25	350	150	18	168
Mrs. R. M. Corner	10	140	60		60
Mrs. D. McLachlin	25	350	150		150
Mrs. J. T. Wolfe	16	224	96		96
Mrs. J. H. B. Royal	5	70	30	150	180
Mrs. I. D. Driver	22	308	132		132
Mrs. N. M. Spikworth	7	98	42	37	79
Mrs. R. T. Baldwin	4	56	24		24
Mrs. W. M. Erskine	16	224	96		96
Mrs. Susan A. Starr	18	252	108		108
Mrs. N. J. Harbit	13	182	78	20	98
Mrs. John Flinn	36	504	216		216
Mrs. W. J. Gardner	14	196	84		84
Mrs. J. H. Skidmore	28	392	168		168
Mrs. C. M. Bryan	28	392	168		168
Miss Naomi Harbit	4	56	24	21	45
Totals	1,101	$15,414	$6,606	$ 842	$7,448

The "Years Service" of the wives of deceased ministers is ¾ and orphans 1-5 of the actual years as per Discipline.

D. H. LEECH, Chairman.
JOSEPH KNOTTS, Secretary.
J. C. SPENCER.
M. B. PAROUNAGIAN.
W. R. JEFFREY, JR.
J. T. MOORE.
E. C. RICHARDS.

ANNUAL REPORT OF SUNDAY SCHOOL MISSIONARY TO OREGON CONFERENCE, 1916.

With profound gratitude to the Father for His constant care and favor, I come to make my third annual report of my work as your Sunday School Missionary. As a representative of the Board of Sunday Schools, I make a monthly report in detail to the Board, but it is well that I report to you also, that you may know that I have been on my job.

Like the two previous years, I have not missed an appointment on account of illness or accident.

During the year past I have traveled 14,782 miles. 281 miles on foot, 1160 by stage or rig, and balance by rail. I have visited 148 different communities, and called on 512 families, taught 38 Sunday School classes, delivered 252 sermons and addresses. Twenty-three persons have been converted in services held by me and 29 others

have expressed a desire to begin the Christian life. During this year I have given more attention to the organized Bible Class movement. I have sent to the office in Chicago applications for 15 class certificates and two Teacher Training classes. These organized Bible Classes are building around the Sunday Schools walls so high that the youth of 16 and thereabout cannot slip out so easily. They are not tempted to leave the school when they find there the best young people organized for service.

The Board of Sunday Schools is constantly putting out the best of literature in leaflet and book form. A good supply of these has been placed at my disposal, of which I have made good use among the Pastors and Sundy School Superintendents, which, I trust, has been an inspiration to them in their efforts to raise the Sunday School from its place as the Church nursery to a Church Bible School for all ages.

According to instructions from the Board I have paid some attention to the finances of our work, assisting some Pastors to meet their apportionments, and have forwarded to Chicago $109.58, for which vouchers have been sent to the Pastors.

My entire year's expense has amounted to $261.25. Thank you, brethren, for your hospitality, which with the courtesy of the railroads is responsible for this small amount. Since October 1, 1915, 24 new Methodist Episcopal Sunday Schools have been organized and 8 reorganized, 32 in all. These have made religious instruction possible for 1,073 persons.

While I am the only Methodist representative of this work in Oregon, some denominations have a worker for a single county. I am glad to note the interest and sympathy with the work of the Board of Sunday Schools on the part of both preachers and laymen, and in response to their generous interest in our Conference, we should not do less than continue our loyalty to them.

Respectfully Submitted,

MARCUS B. PAROUNAGIAN,

Sunday School Missionary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE.

The most cursory observer of current events cannot fail to see the significance of the present crisis in the world battle for temperance. In our own country nineteen states are already dry; nine more vote on constitutional prohibition this fall, with good prospects for a favorable result in a majority of them; and five additional are preparing to vote next year. The coming winter will see constitutional pro-

hibition submitted to the people by Congressional action, and will probably see prohibition enacted for the District of Columbia, and other territory over which the National government has immediate control.

When we look abroad we see a war in progress which shocks by its horrors every sentiment of humanity; and yet this very war has indirectly led to absolute prohibition in the most populous nation of Europe, and to a drastic curtailment of the liquor traffic in other great powers of that continent. In view of these facts it does not seem too much to expect that our own country will be dry in less than a decade, and the world be dry in a generation.

Our own state of Oregon carried prohibition by the largest majority ever accorded that measure by any state in the Union, and for nine months we have not had a saloon within our borders. The record of improved conditions in these nine months constitutes an incontravertible argument for prohibtion. Arrests for drunkenness have decreased more than 75 per cent; commitments to the penitentiary have decreased 44 per cent; and, in spite of hard times, savings bank deposits have increased, and thousands of new accounts have been opened.

But the brewers have submitted to our citizens an amendment to our constitution which would rob us of our hard-won prohibition, and reopen the saloons as "brewers' agencies," making our last state worse than our first. We denounce this treacherous amendment, and will oppose it to the utmost of our power.

We commend heartily the other amendment prohibiting the shipment of liquor into the state for beverage purposes, and will labor for its adoption.

We rejoice that the last General Conference enlarged the work of our Temperance Society, and located its headquarters at the capital of our Nation, that its influence might thereby be multiplied. We pledge our loyal support to this "Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals," and to its efficient Secretary, our own Clarence True Wilson.

We welcome the co-operation in this battle for the right, of the Anti-Saloon League, the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, and all other organizations which seek to drive the use, manufacture and sale of liquor from our land. Realizing that our greatest danger is from the apathy of our friends, rather than the enmity of our foes, we pledge ourselves to do our utmost to arouse the indifferent, that another great victory for God and righteousness may be won next November.

W. E. INGALLS,
E. S. HAMMOND,
GEO. H. PARKINSON,
C. H. BRYAN.

TREASURER'S SUMMARY.

For Foreign Missions	$ 6,440.00
For Home Missions and Church Extension	5,581.00
For Freedmen's Aid	892.00
For Public Education collection	1,014.00
For Education—Children's fund	337.00
Conference Education collection	419.00
For Board of Sunday Schools—Churches	442.00
Sunday Schools	331.00
Board Conference Claimants—Chicago	44.00
For Annual Conference investments	12.00
For Temperance Society	239.00
For Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	4.00
For Women's Home Missionary Society	4.00
For American Bible Society	282.00
For Central Office Epworth League expenses	50.00
For Methodist Brotherhood dues	8.00
For General Deaconess Board	82.00
For Laymen's Association	240.00
For other Benevolences	12.00
For support Conference Claimants	3,925.00
For Episcopal fund	1,632.00
For General Conference expenses	113.00
For Conference Claimants—From Book Concern	2,377.00
From General Board	200.00
From interest Permanent Fund	960.00
From Rose Fund	34.48
Woman's Home Missionary Society	50.00
Conference Sunday Collection	118.31
For special collection for W. R. F. Browne	81.00
Fractional money and items too late to tabulate	95.62
Total	$26,019.41

Disbursements.

Conference Claimants Oregon Conference	$ 7,468.54
General Board Conference Claimants, 5 per cent, etc	198.25
General Board Conference Claimants Conf. Col.	44.00
Annual Conference Investments	12.00
Board Foreign Missions	6,440.00
Board of Home Missions and Church Extension	5,581.00
Freedmen's Aid	892.00

Episcopal Fund	1,632.00
Board of Education—Children's Fund	337.00
20 per cent Public Educational Col	202.80
Willamette University, 80 per cent Public Educational Col.	811.20
Board of Sunday Schools—From Churches	442.00
From Sunday Schools	331.00
General Conference expenses	113.00
Central Office expenses Epworth League	50.00
Methodist Brotherhood dues	8.00
General Deaconess Board	82.00
Temperance Society	239.00
American Bible Society	282.00
Laymen's Association	240.00
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	4.00
Woman's Home Missionary Society	4.00
Conference Educational collection	419.00
Other Benevolences	12.00
Special collection to W. R. F. Browne	81.00
Fractional money, etc	95.62
Total	$26,019.41

HOME MISSIONS

REGULAR

Receipts

Date	Received from Philadelphia	Amount
1915		
Oct. 7		$2,787.50
Jan. 10, 1616		2,787.50
April 12		2,787.50
July 5		2,787.50
	Total.....	
	Balance on hand Sept. 27, 1916	$11.150.00
		184.96

Disbursements

Date	To Whom Paid	Amount
Oct 13, 1915	Distributed on four districts by checks	$2,787.50
Jan. 13, 1916		2,787.50
Apr. 12, "		2,787.50
Jul. 8 "		2 787.50
	Total.....	$11,150 00

SPECIAL

Receipts

Date		Amount
1915		
Oct. 29		$66.67
Nov. 1		66.67
1916		
Jan. 27		66 67
Feb. 17		66 66
" "		66 66
Mch. 8		66 66
April 11		66 66
May 2		66 66
June 12		66 66
July 3		66 66
Aug. 1		66 66
Sept. 2		66 66
	Total.....	799 95

Disbursements

Date	To Whom Paid	Amount
1915		
Nov. 5	To Yainax Indian Mission.....	$66.67
" "	Per Treasurer's Checks	66 67
1916		
Jan. 28		66 67
Feb. 18		66 66
" "		66 66
Mar 9		66 66
April 12		66 66
May 5		66 66
June 12		66 66
July 5		66 66
Aug 8		66 66
Sept 4		66 66
	Total.....	$799 95

CHURCH EXTENSION

DONATIONS

Receipts

Date		Amount
June 6 1916	For St. Helens	$ 300.00
Aug 1	For North Plains	300 00
Aug 18	For Silk Creek	150 00
	Total.....	$ 750.00

Disbursements

Date	Name of Church	Amount
June 1916	St. Helens	300.00
Aug 9	North Plains	300.00
Aug. 22	Silk Creek	150.00
	Total.....	$750.00

W. T. KERR, President.
E. A. BAKER, Secretary.
C. O. McCULLOCH, Treasurer

Anniversaries

Woman's Home Missionary Society. Wednesday, September 27th, 1916, 2:30 P. M. Mrs. J. VanScoy, presiding. Hymn 633 was sung, and Mrs. Erskine read the Ninety-third Psalm. Miss Curtis offered prayer. Mrs. Penn spoke briefly in the interest of the Old People's Home in Salem, and Miss DeWitt represented the Portland Industrial Center. Address, "The Melting Pot," was delivered by Carl G. Doney, closing with the benediction.

Sunday School Institute. 4:30 P. M. W. J. Douglass, presiding. Hymn 420 was sung, and prayer offered by A. S. Hisey.

Address, "The Objective of the Sunday School," by Edgar Blake, followed by prayer and the benediction by Dr. Blake.

Board of Home Missions and Church Extension. 7:30 P. M. G. H. Bennett, chairman. "America" was sung, and prayer offered by L. F. Belknap. Hymn 636 was followed by an address, "America, the Strategic Battleground of Christianity," by A. G. Kynett. Hymn 180 was sung, and Edgar Blake delivered an address, "The New Sunday School Movement." Hymn 143, and benediction by C. L. Dark.

Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. Thursday, September 28th, 1916. 2:00 P. M. Mrs. M. B. Parounagian, presiding. Hymn 654 was sung, and Mrs. G. H. Parkinson conducted the devotions, reading I. Corinthians, 15:41-58, and offering prayer. A solo, "Come Unto Me," was sung by Mrs. Franklin Jasper. Address, "The World's Biggest Business," by T. W. Lane. A collection was taken, and Hymn 634 sung by the congregation. Edward Gittens pronounced the benediction.

Sunday School Institute. 4:00 P. M. D. H. Leech, presiding. Hymns 434 and 330 were sung, and C. C. Rarick offered prayer. Address, "Building a Big Sunday School," by Edgar Blake. Hymn 508 was sung, and W. T. Kerr pronounced the benediction.

Educational: Willamette University, Kimball College of Theology. 7:30 P. M. R. N. Avison, chairman. Hymns 338 and 420 were sung, and W. R. Jeffrey, Jr., prayed. Address, "The Right of a Man," by Carl J. Doney, was followed by an address, "Ministerial Preparedness," by H. J. Talbott. The doxology was sung, and Dr. Talbott dismissed the congregation with the benediction.

Missionary Sermon. Friday, September 29th, 1916. An Evangel for All Mankind. G. H. Feese, presiding. Hymn 631 was sung, and W. T. Kerr offered prayer. The chairman read Isaiah, fifty-third chapter.

The Missionary Sermon was preached by G. H. Parkinson from the texts, I. Thessalonians 5:20-21, and Matthew 7:20, closing with Hymn No. 1 and the "Quaker benediction."

Sunday School Institute. 4:00 P. M. J. C. Rollins, presiding. Hymn 330 was sung and prayer offered by M. T. Wire. Hymn 538. Address, "Interesting and Holdiing the Men in the Sunday School," by Edgar Blake. Benediction by J. C. Rollins.

Illustrated Lecture. 7:30 P. M. "The European War" was given by John Lewtes.

Social Service Commission. Saturday, September 30th, 1916. 2:00 P. M. E. O. Eldridge, chairman Hymn 68 was sung, and prayer offered by A. B. Calder. Address, "The World Survey of the Sabbath," G. L. Tufts. Hymn 25 was sung, and W. T. Kerr pronounced the benediction.

Sunday School Institute. 3:00 P. M. W. S. Gordon, presiding. Hymn 349 was foollowed by prayer by A. S. Hisey. Address, Sunday School Evangelism," Edgar Blake. Hymn 312 was followed with an evangelistic service conducted by Joseph H. Smith, closing with Hymn 357 and prayer by R. E. Smith.

Board of Conference Claimants. 7:30 P. M. W. T. Kerr, presiding. Hymn 312 was sung, and Edward Gittens offered prayer. Address, "The Superannuated Preachers," was given by G. F. Hopkins.

Board of Foreign Missions. 8:30 P. M. Mymn 653 was sung and an address, "The Orient as Seen Through Japan," was delivered by Prof. H. B. Schwartz. The doxology was sung, and Joseph H. Smith pronounced the benediction.

Obituary

CALVIN M. BRYAN

Calvin Mitchell Bryan was born in Ohio March 4, 1841, and died in Albany, Oregon, January 31, 1916. He moved with his parents to Wisconsin in his youth, from Wisconsin to Iowa in 1861, from which place he enlisted in the Civil War, serving full time. After the war he came West, settling in Dakota territory in 1867. Was married to Miss Mary Hill in 1868; taught school for several years until he heard the call to preach. He united with the Des Moines Conference in 1870; through change in boundaries he became a member of the Northwest Iowa Conference. On his first circuit of eight points he had a continual revival, but his health broke down and he had to take a rest. In 1881 he moved to Washington, Columbia River Conference, and was stationed at Moscow, Idaho. In 1886 he was transferred to the Oregon Conference where he remained until his death. The Conference granted him the superannuated relation in 1907. He was nearly 50 years in the ministry, 30 of which was spent in the Oregon Conference. He was evangelistic in his preaching and successful as a soul winner. He had perfect faith and trust in the Christ he preached.

The funeral service was conducted by his pastor, James Moore, assisted by D. H. Leech of Corvallis and the members of the Albany Ministerial Association. The G. A. R., of which he was a member, and the Ladies of Relief Corps attended in a body, and in their ritualistic service beautifully expressed their appreciation and sympathy. He was a faithful, fearless and successful preacher of the whole Gospel of the Son of God. Besides his wife the deceased leaves to mourn his loss five daughters, two sons, two sisters, one brother and a nephew, C. H. Bryan of the Oregon Conference, pastor at Halsey.

WILLIAM JAMES GARDINER

William James Gardiner was born in England August 3, 1845,

and died in Cottage Grove, Ore., January 29, 1916. Brother Gardiner came to the United States when he was four years old. In 1853 the family moved to Iowa where both his parents died. In 1862 he enlisted in the Civil War and was in several important battles, and after three years service was honorably discharged. Brother Gardiner was converted during his army life. His conversion was clear, and he was very successful as a soul winner among his comrades. He received his divine call to the ministry in 1873 and began work on the Maple Valley circuit in Iowa. From 1878 to 1888 he was very successful in the State of Iowa in building churches and in winning many for Christ. In 1888, broken in health, he removed to Oregon and served six different charges. At Cottage Grove he organized the First Methodist Episcopal Church on Thanksgiving evening, November 29, 1888, with twenty-seven charter members. In October, 1908, he removed to Cottage Grove where he has lived until called to his reward.

The funeral services were held in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Cottage Grove, January 31, 1916, and the body was laid away in the cemetery at Walker. The services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. H. N. Aldrich, assisted by the following brethren: C. E. Cline, a classmate; R. S. Bishop of Creswell; Hiram Gould, an old Conference associate in Iowa; T. B. Ford, a former District Superintendent, and George H. Feese, a former pastor. Brother Gardiner's family are all living. The widow, Mrs. Susannah Gardiner, Leonard, Gardiner of Salem, Mrs. Myrtle Morgan of Lowell, Mrs. Alma Bennett of Salem, W. J. Gardiner of Sacramento, Cal., and Mrs. Grace Wood of Cottage Grove. They were all present for the funeral. A good soldier of Jesus Christ has gone to his reward and the world is poorer because of his passing out.

JOSEPH HENRY SKIDMORE

Joseph Henry Skidmore was born August 21, 1837, at Worcestershire, England, and died May 2, 1916, at Vancouver, Wash. He was one of the pioneer preachers and educators of Oregon and at the time of his death was one of the three oldest members of the Oregon Conference. He was a self-made man in the real sense. He began work in the coal mines when eight years of age, without having ever attended school. At the age of ten he came to America. At twenty years of age he entered Greenwich Institute, Rhode Island. He came to the front so rapidly that he became a teacher.

He was converted in the Methodist Church at Providence. He became active as a Sunday School worker and was soon made a local preacher. At the beginning of the Civil War he was elected chaplain of the first Rhode Island regiment, but failed to receive the appointment. In 1863 he came to California and organized the first public school at San Bernardino. During the Civil War he worked to elect Lincoln president, but the opposition to him was so intense that he left and came to Nevada. After a short stay he came to Coos Bay and engaged in the logging business. He had the distinction of preaching at the first religious service held in Coos County. He was the first teacher of mathematics and later principal of the Wilbur Academy in Douglas County. He married Annie M. Hill at Wilbur July 6, 1869. He was founder and for six years was president of the Ashland Academy, which later became the Southern Oregon State Normal School. He built the present Methodist Church at Ashland, quarrying the cut stone with his own hands. In 1878 he was offered the Republican nomination for Congress, but declined. An able and eloquent preacher, he was much sought after as a stump orator. From 1880 until some years before his death he held pastorates in Idaho, Washington and Oregon. He was at one time Presiding Elder of the Idaho Conference. The dominating feature of Brother Skidmore's life was kindness. It was his invariable practice to think of others first. No one ever heard him utter one unkind word.

He is survived by his wife and four sons, Joseph H. of Omaha, Neb., Newell G. of Vancouver, Wash., Fredrick H. of Pioneerville, Ida., and Charles E. of Berkeley, Cal.

The funeral was conducted at Vancouver, Wash., May 4 by T. B. Ford, Superintendent of the Salem District, and E. L. Benedict, pastor of First Church, Vancouver.

Statistical Tables

Oregon Conference

D. LESTER FIELDS, Statistician

C. O. McCULLOUGH, Treasurer
887 Savier St., Portland, Ore.

NAME OF CHARGE	Church Membership: Prob't's: Enrolled During Year	Church Membership: Prob't's: Now on Roll	Church Membership: Full Members: Members on Roll	Church Membership: Full Members: Non-Resident Members	Church Membership: Full Members: Local Preachers	Church Membership: Full Members: Deaths During Year	Epw'th League: Senior Members	Epw'th League: Junior Members	CHURCH PROPERTY: Churches	CHURCH PROPERTY: Estimated Value	CHURCH PROPERTY: Parsonages	CHURCH PROPERTY: Estimated Value	CHURCH PROPERTY: Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Ch's and Par'ges	CHURCH PROPERTY: Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	CHURCH PROPERTY: Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	CHURCH PROPERTY: Current Expenses, Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Gen. Con. Expenses: Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Gen. Con. Expenses: Paid this Year	Gen. Con. Expenses: Balance Due for the Quadrennium
Albany	8	....	400	179	....	6	35	....	2	23800	1	5000	.....	1498	6723	1017	28	....	....
Bandon	....	....	27	3	....	....	15	....	1	3500	1	1500	40	.....	.....	29	....	....	....
Brownsville	16	6	242	20	1	....	35	....	1	3000	1	1000	25	.....	260	160	....	3	....
Buena Vista	10	4	69	5	....	2	....	....	1	1000	1	1200	10	.....	100	60	....	2	....
Coburg	....	....	65	5	....	1	18	....	1	1000	1	600	50	.....	.....	44	....	....	....
Coos Bay Circuit	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	950	....	.....	125	.....	350	20	....	....	....
Coquille	3	3	79	15	....	1	38	15	1	2000	1	1200	220	.....	35	75	....	....	....
Corvallis	14	18	516	54	2	5	67	24	1	13000	1	4000	300	.....	4000	972	....	....	....
Cottage Grove	....	....	185	44	....	6	50	50	1	9000	1	3000	310	.....	.....	300	....	6	....
Crawfordsville	....	....	26	....	....	....	....	....	1	900	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	....	....
Creswell	5	....	162	24	....	1	44	14	2	7000	2	2000	30	.....	.....	225	....	....	....
Drain	9	5	94	5	1	....	35	....	1	2000	1	1500	55	.....	.....	90	....	....	....
Elkton	....	....	36	4	....	1	....	....	1	1000	1	600	.....	.....	.....	5	....	2	....
Eugene	11	11	994	249	3	....	75	50	1	100000	....	.....	970	.....	25000	2400	....	15	....
Gardiner	....	....	24	4	....	....	....	30	1	2500	1	2000	600	.....	.....	46	....	2	....
Goshen and Saginaw	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	....	....
Halsey	....	....	129	23	1	1	40	....	1	3500	1	1500	600	.....	.....	103	....	....	....
Harrisburg	1	8	85	....	1	1	....	....	1	3500	....	.....	50	.....	.....	105	....	1	....
Independence	....	5	122	30	....	2	20	....	1	6800	1	1000	100	.....	1744	84	....	....	....
Irving	....	....	43	2	1	....	....	....	1	1000	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	....	....	....
Jefferson	17	11	82	26	....	1	39	....	1	2000	1	1000	320	.....	.....	44	....	....	....
Junction City	1	....	222	7	....	2	40	....	2	6200	1	2000	120	.....	.....	100	....	....	....
Lebanon	1	2	235	52	1	2	42	....	1	20000	1	2500	140	.....	5554	412	18	....	....
Loraine Circuit	....	....	30	....	1	1	....	....	2	1000	1	500	58	50	150	.....	....	....	....
Lowell Circuit	....	3	75	....	....	....	20	....	2	2400	....	.....	15	.....	.....	35	2	2	....
Marcola	....	....	54	7	....	....	25	....	4	2500	1	500	30	.....	.....	15	....	....	....
Marshfield	13	4	203	23	1	2	30	20	1	5000	1	2000	.....	.....	250	200	....	....	....
Mehama and Lyons	3	....	24	2	....	1	....	....	2	1000	1	200	50	.....	.....	15	....	....	....
Monroe Circuit	....	5	101	40	....	1	....	....	2	4500	1	1000	87	.....	200	100	....	2	....
Mountain View Circuit	....	4	35	....	....	....	....	....	1	500	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	....	....
Myrtle Point	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	....	....
North Bend	13	4	101	8	....	2	30	....	1	3000	....	.....	40	.....	213	159	....	....	....
Port Orford	....	....	19	3	....	....	....	....	....	.....	1	1200	.....	.....	.....	20	....	....	....
Shedds	1	2	107	12	....	....	32	....	2	2300	1	1200	60	.....	.....	60	12	3	9
Siletz Indian Mission	8	8	....	....	1	12	30	....	1	1000	1	250	25	.....	.....	.....	....	....	....
Springfield	6	....	304	2	3	4	75	....	1	26000	1	3000	26000	.....	2000	140	....	5	....
Toledo	....	....	24	6	1	....	....	....	1	1500	1	750	.....	.....	85	.....	....	....	....
Turner	....	3	90	....	....	....	23	10	2	4000	1	1000	140	.....	.....	50	....	1	....
Yoncalla	4	1	92	13	....	1	....	....	1	500	1	1000	240	.....	.....	68	....	....	....
Total	144	107	5096	867	18	56	853	213	48	268850	30	44200	30310	1548	47664	7173	60	44	9
Increase from 1915	....	....	....	371	....	6	....	....	....	13300	....	.....	26154	.....	4617	.....	....	....	....
Decrease from 1915	221	70	986	....	4	....	116	150	5	.....	1	3250	.....	5438	.....	345	....	71	

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT: Support of Pastor: Total Claim including House Rent	Total Paid including House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Support of District Superint'd't: Claim	Paid	Support of Bishops: Claim	Paid	Support of Conference Claimants: Claim	Paid	Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Sunday Schools: Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments	BAPTISMS: Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Children Under Instruction as Probationers
Albany	James Moore	2000	2000	360	....	164	164	33	33	82	82	2279	....	1	29	394	6	8	....
Bandon	E. C. Alford	.....	258	150	....	.....	11	....	2	....	3	274	....	1	13	68	....	....	....
Brownsville	J. S. Green	800	800	150	....	80	80	16	16	40	40	936	....	1	19	268	4	....	....
Buena Vista	Oren Wall	700	700	100	....	60	60	12	12	30	30	802	....	3	40	170	2	1	....
Coburg	W. F. Willings	350	210	60	140	.....	5	....	....	....	....	215	140	1	10	50	....	....	....
Coos Bay Circuit	E. H. Campbell	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	2	7	50	....	....	....
Coquille	T. H. Downs	800	800	200	....	60	60	12	12	30	30	902	....	1	20	120	....	2	3
Corvallis	D. H. Leech	2200	2200	400	....	180	180	36	36	90	90	2506	....	1	28	484	13	20	12
Cottage Grove	H. N. Aldrich	1250	1250	250	....	100	100	20	20	50	50	1420	....	1	25	354	....	4	....
Crawfordsville	Harold Doxsee	110	77	.....	33	11	5	2	....	....	1	83	40	2	8	45	1	....	....
Creswell	R. S. Bishop	1000	1000	150	....	85	85	17	10	40	25	1120	22	2	22	175	5	3	....
Drain	J. F. Dunlop	800	800	100	....	70	50	14	10	21	12	872	33	2	18	161	6	1	....
Elkton	H. C. Preston	497	353	72	144	40	11	8	2	12	5	371	186	2	9	72	....	....	....
Eugene	G. H. Parkinson	2800	2800	300	....	250	250	50	50	125	85	3185	40	1	70	986	5	5	11
Gardiner	J. J. Pacey	950	775	150	175	80	63	16	16	40	24	878	208	1	12	103	2	....	....
Goshen and Saginaw	Geo. Warner	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Halsey	C. H. Bryan	1000	1000	200	....	80	80	16	16	40	40	1136	....	1	15	155	2	....	....
Harrisburg	F. G. Drake	720	710	.....	10	60	55	12	10	30	24	799	23	1	16	146	7	1	1
Independence	W. C. Stewart	850	790	150	60	85	79	17	15	42	39	923	71	1	15	179	....	....	....
Irving	Harold Doxsee	150	150	.....	....	15	15	2	2	4	4	171	....	1	10	65	....	....	....
Jefferson	R. C. Young	550	550	100	....	45	45	9	9	22	22	626	....	2	16	134	7	....	6
Junction City	C. O Heath	980	980	180	....	80	80	16	16	40	40	1116	....	2	30	300	1	3	....
Lebanon	Walton Skipworth	1400	1400	200	....	120	120	24	24	60	60	1604	....	1	21	206	....	....	....
Lorane Circuit	G. M. Bailey	400	188	50	212	35	....	....	2	....	3	188	247	2	8	66	....	2	....
Lowell Circuit	Walter Ross	.....	325	.....	....	.....	31	....	9	....	6	371	....	5	43	160	....	....	....
Marcola	Ira E. Gillet	.....	280	75	....	.....	5	....	2	....	3	290	....	4	25	250	....	....	....
Marshfield	Joseph Knotts	1260	1260	240	....	102	102	21	21	51	51	1434	....	1	20	170	6	4	....
Mehama and Lyons	R. D. Cady	.....	141	25	....	.....	12	....	2	....	4	159	....	1	7	75	....	....	....
Monroe Circuit	F. W. Snyder	700	680	100	20	60	58	12	11	30	29	778	24	2	17	200	....	6	....
Mountain View Cfrcuit	R. J. Davenport	400	330	.....	70	40	21	5	5	5	5	361	89	2	12	90	....	....	....
Myrtle Point	E. S. Mace	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	....	....	10	....	25	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
North Bend	A. S. Hisey	900	786	200	114	70	70	14	14	35	35	905	114	1	16	153	9	2	....
Port Orford	W. H. Myers	330	330	100	....	22	22	4	4	6	6	362	....	1	9	35	....	....	....
Shedds	F. S. Clemo	750	713	150	37	60	56	12	12	30	20	801	51	1	14	232	....	8	....
Siletz Indian Mission	G. C. Scudder	210	93	60	117	30	30	....	....	....	....	123	117	2	14	126	....	8	8
Springfield	J. T. Moore	1440	1440	240	....	120	120	24	24	60	60	1644	....	1	20	436	5	....	....
Toledo	Joseph Graham	600	133	100	467	60	6	....	....	....	....	139	521	1	6	37	....	....	....
Turner	J. J. Mickey	600	600	100	....	50	50	10	10	25	25	685	....	1	15	102	....	....	2
Yoncalla	H. Hocking	600	525	120	75	60	53	11	11	26	26	615	82	5	23	209	1	2	1
Total		28097	27427	4832	1674	2374	2234	445	448	1066	1004	31113	2008	61	703	7026	82	80	44
Increase from 1915		.....	.....	495	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	1	....	.....	....	....	....
Decrease from 1915		3584	2348	.....	314	315	202	82	13	54	20	2583	434	....	7	820	105	46	90

NAME OF CHARGE	DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES																						Other Benevolences					Other Items			
	MISSIONS							Education			Bd.S S.		Con. Claimts			WHMS															
	Bd. For. Mis.			B.H.M.-C.E.				B. of Ed																							
	Church	SpecialGifts	Sunday Sc.	Church	SpecialGifts	SundaySch.	Freedmen's Aid Society	Public Ed. Collection	Children's Fund	Conference Ed. Collection	Church	Sunday School (Total)	Bd. of Con. Clts., (Chicago)	Annual Con. Investments	Church Temperance Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Cash	Supplies	American Bible Society	City Mis. or Ch. Ex. Society	Central Office Ex. Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Laymen's Association	Willamette Endowment	Gen. Deaconess Bd.	Other Benevolences	Total Benevolences	Support of Conference Claimants	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	General Conference Expenses	Grand Total
Albany	140	100	29	131	....	29	10	2	2	9	8	7	....	27	2	130	149	....	4	....	2	....	781	....	....	..	19	800	82	33	....	915
Bandon	7	....	4	7	....	3	....	....	2	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	24	....	....	..	5	29	3	2	....	34
Brownsville	130	....	....	78	....	32	8	....	4	53	8	6	....	3	6	70	50	....	6	....	....	....	452	....	....	..	29	481	40	19	3	542
Buena Vista	12	....	10	12	....	10	5	2	2	6	2	4	2	2	2	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	74	....	....	..	10	84	30	12	2	128
Coburg	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6	....	....	..	....	6	....	....	....	6
Coos Bay Circuit	7	....	....	5	....	....	2	....	....	4	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	21	....	....	..	....	21	....	....	....	21
Coquille	13	....	8	10	....	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	....	....	2	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	44	1	....	..	1	46	30	12	....	88
Corvallis	150	....	30	120	....	30	20	20	5	5	....	11	....	....	3	229	177	....	1	....	3	5	809	....	....	..	545	1354	90	36	....	1480
Cottage Grove	25	12	6	25	....	6	5	5	5	3	2	4	....	1	2	36	26	....	3	....	3	....	169	5	....	5	80	259	50	20	6	335
Crawfordsville	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	..	2	5	1	....	....	6
Creswell	30	15	....	30	....	10	5	....	6	3	....	5	5	....	3	35	....	....	2	....	2	....	151	....	....	2	21	174	25	10	....	209
Drain	53	30	....	30	....	....	....	1	....	10	....	6	....	7	1	....	16	....	3	....	1	....	158	....	....	12	20	190	12	10	....	212
Elkton	17	....	9	5	....	5	2	....	2	....	....	2	....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	44	1	....	1	....	46	5	2	2	55
Eugene	249	80	45	210	....	45	44	10	21	....	25	10	....	4	5	542	216	....	5	....	2	4	1517	25	....	2	193	1737	85	50	15	1827
Gardiner	10	....	10	10	....	10	6	4	....	....	3	2	....	....	2	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	58	....	....	..	....	58	24	16	2	100
Goshen and Saginaw	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....
Halsey	65	....	12	51	....	12	5	15	8	....	10	2	2	....	6	125	2	....	2	....	....	....	317	....	....	..	78	395	40	16	....	451
Harrisburg	26	....	....	23	....	....	3	2	3	....	....	1	....	2	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	62	....	....	..	17	79	24	10	1	114
Independence	20	....	....	20	....	....	6	20	....	....	....	5	....	....	3	3	....	....	1	....	....	....	78	....	....	..	34	112	39	15	....	166
Irving	7	....	....	7	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	14	....	....	..	....	14	4	2	....	20
Jefferson	21	....	20	35	....	....	6	....	....	15	....	5	....	2	1	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	107	....	....	..	103	210	22	9	....	241
Junction City	41	....	9	35	....	9	9	15	4	....	3	4	....	....	1	....	....	....	3	....	2	....	135	....	....	..	19	154	40	16	....	210
Lebanon	63	....	18	52	....	18	12	29	5	....	9	6	....	4	2	57	....	....	5	....	5	....	288	5	....	1	38	332	60	24	....	417
Lorane Circuit	15	....	....	15	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	34	....	....	..	....	34	3	2	....	39
Lowell Circuit	6	....	....	10	....	....	2	2	....	....	....	2	....	....	1	20	....	....	1	....	....	....	44	....	....	..	....	44	6	9	2	61
Marcola Circuit	2	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4	....	....	..	....	4	3	2	....	9
Marshfield	51	....	21	35	....	20	....	....	9	25	9	4	....	10	1	4	36	....	3	....	2	3	245	....	....	..	25	270	51	21	....	342
Mehama and Lyons	5	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	10	....	....	..	1	11	4	2	....	17
Monroe Circuit	4	....	10	4	....	10	....	....	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	30	....	....	..	80	110	29	11	2	152
Mountain View Circ't.	5	....	5	5	....	5	3	5	2	....	....	2	1	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	35	....	....	..	....	35	5	5	....	45
Myrtle Point	21	....	2	21	....	2	2	3	2	....	2	1	....	....	2	1	1	....	3	....	1	....	64	....	....	1	6	71	25	10	....	105
North Bend	40	....	5	38	....	5	7	18	2	....	....	6	....	....	1	11	8	....	2	....	2	....	150	2	....	..	....	152	35	14	....	201
Port Orford	9	....	2	8	....	1	2	1	1	3	2	1	1	....	1	2	2	....	1	....	....	....	37	1	....	..	....	38	6	4	....	48
Shedd	23	....	10	21	....	10	5	....	2	11	3	4	....	....	2	63	....	....	2	....	2	....	158	2	....	1	32	193	20	12	3	228
Siletz Indian Mission	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....
Springfield	100	30	22	88	....	18	18	....	5	46	10	4	....	....	3	27	23	....	7	....	3	....	404	15	....	1	353	773	60	24	5	862
Toledo	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	5	5	....	....	....	5
Turner	35	....	5	24	....	4	5	12	7	....	2	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	2	....	1	....	99	2	....	1	42	144	25	10	1	210
Yoncalla	20	....	....	....	....	20	1	....	....	5	....	4	....	....	2	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	53	....	....	..	....	53	26	11	....	89
Total	1423	267	292	1176	....	316	195	167	102	199	103	117	11	62	59	1355	706	....	66	....	32	12	6679	59	....	27	1758	8523	1004	448	44	9990
Increase from 1914	312	....	....	38	....	21	....	....	11	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	27	181	....	....	....	....	....
Decrease from 1914	....	158	35	....	....	....	33	402	....	199	11	....	5	11993	....	114	25	....	7	....	2	....	12194	28	500	..	....	12514	20	13	71	12647

NAME OF CHARGE	Church Membership						Ep Leagues		CHURCH PROPERTY									Gen'l Conf. Exp.		
			Full Members																	
	No. of Probationers	Probationers Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non Resident Members	Local Preachers	Deaths in Year	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estim'ed Value	Pd. for Bldgs & Improvements on Chs. & Pars'g	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Chs. & Pars'g.	Present Indebtedness on Ch. & Parsonages	Cur't Exp, Sexton Fuel, Light, etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrenn'm	Paid this year	Balance due for the Quadrenn'm
Ashland	11	10	448	43	5	3	90	....	1	13500	1	1500	....	....	249	588	....	....	....
Bonanza	....	3	53	....	....	....	....	....	1	900	1	650	60	....	....	13	....	1	....
Canyonville	....	....	75	37	2	1	....	....	2	2000	1	850	100	....	....	20	....	....	....
Central Point	3	....	83	41	....	2	30	....	1	1000	1	1200	....	....	....	98	....	....	....
Gold Hill	....	....	43	12	....	....	16	....	1	1000	....	....	....	....	....	30	....	....	....
Grants Pass	10	20	308	12	....	3	56	45	1	12000	1	4000	141	90	2811	461	....	....	....
Jacksonville	5	10	45	25	....	1	30	....	1	1500	1	750	....	....	....	60	....	....	....
Klamath Indian Mission	11	11	104	....	....	2	....	....	2	2000	1	900	40	....	250	....	....	....	....
Kerby	....	1	19	....	....	1	....	....	2	700	1	200	....	....	....	12	....	....	....
Klamath Falls	....	....	245	38	....	....	67	....	1	6600	....	....	100	....	1000	200	....	....	....
Lakeview	....	....	50	7	1	7	....	....	1	2500	1	800	25	....	50	50	....	....	....
Medford	....	23	430	35	....	1	100	35	1	6000	1	1000	250	....	....	950	....	....	....
Merrill	....	5	58	....	....	....	35	....	1	2000	....	....	....	....	....	48	....	....	....
Paisley	5	5	23	4	....	....	....	....	1	2000	1	1200	210	....	....	....	....	....	....
Roseburg	....	7	306	64	....	1	33	30	1	20000	1	2000	....	....	5000	300	....	....	....
Roseburg Circuit	19	....	81	46	....	4	46	....	2	1000	1	300	68	56	50	25	....	....	....
Sutherlin	2	8	71	15	....	....	35	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	120	....	....	....
Talent	25	25	51	....	....	....	32	....	1	3500	....	....	40	....	175	70	....	1	....
Wilbur	2	8	108	3	....	1	48	....	3	3600	1	700	32	....	....	46	....	....	....
Wilderville	4	5	45	2	....	3	20	....	1	350	1	600	....	....	....	10	....	....	....
Yainax	....	....	7	....	1	3	....	....	1	6000	1	1200	100	....	....	....	....	....	....
Oakland	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Total	97	141	2653	384	9	33	638	110	26	88150	16	17850	1166	146	9585	3101	....	2	....
Increase from 1915	....	....	29	163	....	9	....	....	....	1950	1	....	....	....	2686	....	....	....	....
Decrease from 1915	86	28	....	....	5	....	135	41	1	....	....	1350	57	6225	....	638	....	....	....
Total for Conference	901	690	20395	3055	88	212	3854	961	189	1174285	101	183300	54249	18250	172654	34793	209	118	24
Increase from 1915	....	....	....	676	....	14	....	....	9	46185	....	....	29624	....	29931	....	....	....	....
Decrease from 1915	405	129	2216	....	....	....	551	122	....	....	....	13850	....	7344	....	4355	....	....	....

KLAMATH DISTRICT STATISTICS

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT												Sun. Schools			BAPTISMS		
		Support of Pastor				Support of Dist. Sup't.		Support of Bishops		Support of Con'e Claim's		Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments	Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Children Under Instruction as Probationers
		Total Claim including House Rent	Total Paid including House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid								
Ashland	W. J. Douglass	1500	1509	200	....	143	143	29	29	65	65	1737	....	1	42	450	9	1	....
Bonanza	S. W. Hall	500	500	100	....	44	44	9	9	20	20	573	....	3	14	130	....	5	....
Canyonville	C. C. Coop	474	333	60	141	40	21	9	6	12	9	369	166	2	16	106	....	1	....
Central Point	J. C. Stille	590	530	240	60	35	22	8	1	11	9	562	82	1	13	93	3	....	....
Gold Hill		620	480	120	140	39	12	8	5	18	9	506	179	1	12	260	....	1	....
Grants Pass	M. T. Wire	1600	1602	400	....	132	132	27	27	60	60	1821	....	1	34	334	4	1	10
Jacksonville	R. A. Hutchinson	425	375	125	50	33	27	4	5	9	7	414	57	1	10	65	....	....	....
Klamath Indian Mission	C. G. Morris	215	75	15	140	22	7	5	1	6	....	83	165	3	10	125	10	....	50
Kerby	J. M. Crenshaw	280	243	30	37	23	23	4	4	6	6	276	37	2	7	42	....	....	1
Klamath Falls	E. C. Richards	1416	1416	216	....	132	132	24	24	60	60	1632	....	1	16	166	13	17	....
Lakeview	B. H. Lewis	1200	1145	200	55	110	90	25	....	50	....	1235	150	1	12	171	1	....	....
Medford	J. C. Rollins	1550	1550	.....	....	154	154	28	28	70	70	1802	....	1	30	405	35	2	23
Merrill	J. T. Cowley	420	387	.....	33	38	34	7	....	10	....	421	....	2	16	315	....	....	....
Paisley	A. Hawthorne	600	600	120	....	52	52	9	9	14	18	679	....	3	20	90	....	1	....
Roseburg	W. R. Jeffrey, Jr	1600	1600	200	...	154	154	32	32	70	70	1856	....	1	30	320	4	3	....
Roseburg Circuit	J. C. Ragsdale	499	548	24	....	52	53	9	4	24	10	615	19	2	18	138	1	....	....
Sutherlin	G P. Trites	700	525	.....	175	77	57	12	5	27	9	596	220	1	14	138	2	3	....
Talent	M. C. Reed	400	400	.....	....	44	44	8	6	20	2	452	20	1	9	114	13	24	24
Wilbur	H. W. Rummell	584	550	84	34	55	51	11	10	25	24	635	40	3	26	163	3	....	8
Wilderville	J. M. Crenshaw	375	375	75	....	33	33	6	6	9	9	423	....	1	11	67	....	2	4
Yainax	W. W. Hevener	.....	120	120	....	.....	6	....	....	....	....	126	....	3	15	40	....	....	....
Oakland		.....	.....	.....	....	.....	....	....	3	....	3	6	....	....	....	.....	....	....	....
Total		15548	14854	2329	824	1412	1291	274	214	586	460	16819	1135	35	375	3732	98	61	120
Increase from 1915		.....	134	.....	....	.....	....	....	....	19	....	.....	....	1	....	291	19	....	81
Decrease from 1915		223	.....	48	607	109	68	17	53	....	38	25	554	....	8	.....	....	15	....
Total for Conference		119531	114729	18743	5145	9799	9271	1948	1763	4299	3914	129669	7276	223	2724	29618	482	419	314
Increase from 1915		.....	.....	601	....	.....	....	....	....	27	....	.....	321	1	....	.....	....	....	....
Decrease from 1915		461	1504	.....	610	224	87	60	59	....	103	1761	....	....	10	642	106	81	79

DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES

NAME OF CHARGE	MISSIONS: Bd. For. Mis. Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	B.H.M.-C.E Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Freedmen's Aid Society	Education: Bd. Ed. Public Educ'l Coll.	Children's Fund	Conference Educat'al Collec'n	Board of S. S. Church	Sunday Sch'ls (Total)	Conf'ce Claims: Bd. of Conf'ce Clai'ts (Chgo)	Annual Con'e Investments	Church Tempera'ce Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	W.H.M. Society: Cash	Supplies	American Bible Society	City Mis. or Ch. Ex. Society	Central Office Expenses, Epworth L.	Methodist Brotherhood Dues.	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Other Benovl'ces: Laymen's Association	Willamette Endowment	Gen. Deaconess Bd.	Other Benevolences	Total Benevolences	Other Items: Support of Conference Claimants	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	General Conference Expenses	Grand Total
Ashland	105	76	14	100	....	13	10	17	10	22	5	7	....	....	2	176	193	....	4	....	....	....	754	....	....	1	102	857	65	29	....	951
Bonanza	18	....	12	18	....	8	5	8	3	....	3	2	....	6	1	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	86	3	....	....	....	89	20	9	1	119
Canyonville	5	....	....	4	....	....	1	....	....	....	13	....	....	....	1	....	5	....	1	....	....	....	25	1	....	....	....	26	9	6	....	46
Central Point	28	....	1	10	....	1	2	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	1	....	4	....	2	....	....	....	52	....	....	1	....	53	9	1	....	63
Gold Hill	9	....	....	8	....	....	3	1	2	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	25	....	....	....	....	25	9	5	....	39
Grants Pass	160	....	18	136	....	18	27	18	7	22	11	10	1	8	5	73	72	....	2	....	6	....	593	10	....	1	4	608	60	27	....	695
Jacksonville	5	....	1	4	....	1	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	18	1	....	....	....	19	7	5	....	31
Klamath Indian Mis'on	2	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	12	....	....	....	....	12	....	1	....	13
Kerby	16	....	....	14	....	....	2	6	....	....	2	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	42	....	....	....	....	42	6	4	....	52
Klamath Falls	31	....	16	27	....	14	7	18	5	....	3	5	....	....	2	94	....	....	3	....	3	....	228	....	....	....	37	265	60	24	....	349
Lakeview	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Medford	93	30	45	93	....	48	11	10	11	....	2	9	....	....	5	193	188	....	3	....	5	....	743	....	....	....	111	854	70	28	....	952
Merrill	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	4	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8	....	....	....	....	8	10	4	....	22
Paisley	22	....	....	19	....	....	4	5	3	....	5	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	60	2	....	1	....	63	18	9	....	90
Roseburg	42	....	55	41	....	54	20	10	7	10	5	13	....	2	5	78	47	....	2	....	2	....	393	2	....	3	20	418	70	32	....	520
Roseburg Circuit	17	....	8	14	....	8	4	5	1	....	1	2	....	....	1	....	....	....	3	....	1	....	64	....	....	....	....	64	10	4	....	78
Sutherlin	12	....	....	11	....	....	3	1	....	....	6	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	2	....	36	....	....	8	6	50	9	5	1	64
Talent	5	....	....	5	....	....	1	....	2	....	2	....	1	....	1	....	36	....	1	....	....	....	54	....	....	....	....	54	2	6	....	63
Wilbur	25	5	15	22	....	14	6	14	3	....	....	4	....	....	2	....	....	....	2	....	1	....	113	....	....	....	5	118	24	10	....	152
Wilderville	20	....	6	18	....	5	4	10	....	....	2	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	68	....	....	....	....	68	9	6	....	83
Yainax	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	100	100	....	....	....	100
Oakland	18	....	....	18	....	....	1	....	4	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	44	....	....	....	....	44	3	3	....	50
Total	633	111	192	567	....	184	112	123	60	54	75	56	2	16	32	614	545	....	32	....	20	....	3418	19	....	15	385	3837	470	218	2	4532
Increase from 1915	....	....	....	....	....	....	5	....	....	54	28	....	....	16	....	97	180	....	5	....	....	....	46	....	....	15	171	102	....	....	....	3
Decrease from 1915	9	79	10	21	1	8	....	93	....	....	....	11	1	....	1	....	....	92	....	....	3	....	....	35	95	....	....	....	25	48	31	....

RECAPITULATION

EUGENE	1423	267	292	1176	....	316	195	167	102	199	103	117	11	62	59	1355	706	....	66	....	32	12	6679	59	....	27	1758	8523	1004	448	44	9990
KLAMATH	633	111	192	567	....	184	112	123	60	54	75	56	2	16	32	614	545	....	32	....	20	....	3418	19	....	15	385	3837	470	218	3	4532
PORTLAND	1996	943	347	1756	10	271	335	244	127	196	149	125	11	66	82	2696	1478	....	85	464	27	1	11427	2537	....	23	5135	19124	1226	537	65	20972
SALEM	2057	1010	502	1738	2	475	369	510	138	315	198	136	26	114	96	1671	1262	....	132	....	36	....	10795	136	....	38	3780	14749	1225	564	7	16540
Total for Conference	6109	2331	1333	5237	12	1296	1011	1044	427	764	525	434	50	258	269	6336	3991	....	315	464	115	13	32319	2751	....	103	11058	46233	3925	1767	118	52034
Increase from 1915	657	161	....	162	11	....	7	....	....	764	43	....	....	....	27	785	154	....	9	....	....	....	....	2031	....	103	....	....	....	....	....	....
Decrease from 1915	....	....	84	....	....	28	....	1186	26	....	....	74	34	12041	....	....	....	283	....	543	13	14	11499	....	4243	....	6037	19643	89	54	245	19740

NAME OF CHARGE	Church Membership: Prob't's: Enrolled During Year	Church Membership: Prob't's: Now on Roll	Church Membership: Full Members: Members on Roll	Church Membership: Full Members: Non-Resident Members	Church Membership: Full Members: Local Preachers	Church Membership: Full Members: Deaths During Year	Epw'th League: Senior Members	Epw'th League: Junior Members	CHURCH PROPERTY: Churches	CHURCH PROPERTY: Estimated Value	CHURCH PROPERTY: Parsonages	CHURCH PROPERTY: Estimated Value	CHURCH PROPERTY: Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Ch's and Par'ges	CHURCH PROPERTY: Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	CHURCH PROPERTY: Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	CHURCH PROPERTY: Current Expenses, Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Gen. Con. Expenses: Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Gen. Con. Expenses: Paid this Year	Gen. Con. Expenses: Balance Due for the Quadrennium
Astoria	7	11	170	25	....	1	55	....	1	12000	1	3200	4323	....	....	475	20	5	....
Clatskanie & Mayger	7	22	130	5	....	1	25	30	3	3500	1	1000	....	....	....	125	....	....	....
Houlton & Warren	....	....	24	13	....	....	....	....	2	2500	1	400	100	....	....	60	....	....	....
Knappa & Svenson	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	1750	1	1000	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Portland—Brentwood	....	....	21	5	....	....	....	....	1	1000	....	....	....	....	....	18	....	....	....
Carson Heights	2	2	8	8	....	....	....	....	1	1000	....	....	....	....	40	14	....	....	....
Centenary	77	51	750	125	....	1	94	16	1	65000	1	6000	....	....	....	1365	50	50	....
Central	....	....	256	....	....	1	72	....	1	16000	1	2500	....	350	442	700	....	....	....
Clinton Kelly Memorial	15	36	78	39	2	....	19	....	1	10000	....	....	10	100	1400	100	....	....	....
Epworth	15	22	153	11	1	1	25	....	1	11000	1	4000	....	122	....	130	....	....	....
First Church	28	10	1370	278	3	9	125	....	1	250000	1	25000	6000	....	50000	6750	....	....	....
Laurelwood	20	8	204	14	....	2	25	....	1	3500	1	3000	300	....	1300	150	....	4	....
Lincoln	....	4	43	....	....	1	15	....	1	2500	....	....	....	....	500	40	....	....	....
Linnton	....	....	14	3	....	....	....	....	1	3000	1	1500	175	....	....	60	....	....	....
Mt. Tabor	6	18	115	20	....	4	40	37	1	15000	1	2000	175	7500	2500	729	....	....	....
Montavilla	3	3	147	34	1	1	24	20	1	5500	1	1500	110	....	....	184	40	1	....
Patton	12	10	185	30	1	2	40	....	1	5000	....	....	150	....	1000	585	....	....	....
Rose City Park	13	....	173	16	....	1	....	....	1	12000	....	....	....	1000	4000	700	....	....	....
Sellwood	39	....	335	33	2	2	84	80	1	8000	1	2200	....	....	....	470	....	....	....
St. Johns	13	8	131	20	....	....	60	26	1	3000	1	3000	75	35	102	119	....	....	....
Sunnyside	35	....	1002	77	7	7	111	....	1	50000	1	3300	100	500	14000	2635	20	5	15
Trinity	....	3	57	10	1	1	18	10	1	7650	1	1600	200	....	....	35	....	....	....
University Park	28	4	352	85	1	9	52	....	1	7300	1	3500	350	136	700	250	....	....	....
Westmoreland	5	5	25	....	1	2	....	30	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Woodlawn	....	....	179	18	....	2	40	....	1	3500	1	2000	200	....	....	275	....	....	....
Woodstock	6	21	156	5	....	....	42	....	1	9000	1	2500	30	247	1400	215	....	....	....
Rainier & Hudson	5	13	71	16	....	....	20	10	2	5000	1	1400	520	....	234	130	....	....	....
Seaside	28	7	165	14	....	....	40	25	1	6000	1	1200	75	....	....	175	....	....	....
St. Helens	....	5	102	16	....	1	43	....	1	5000	....	....	....	300	1250	140	....	....	....
Warrenton & Hammond	....	....	17	....	1	....	....	....	3	1500	....	....	....	....	....	125	....	....	....
Total	364	263	6433	920	21	49	1069	284	36	526200	21	71800	12893	10290	78868	16754	130	65	15
Increase from 1915	....	26	....	148	....	....	....	....	....	34150	....	....	752	....	24209	....	....	....	....
Decrease from 1915	59	....	294	....	2	7	263	39	....	....	....	5200	....	7804	....	3404	....	50	....

NAME OF CHARGE	Name of Pastor	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT												Sunday Schools			BAPTISMS		
		Support of Pastor				Support of District Superint't		Support of Bishops		Support of Conference Claimants		Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments	Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Children who are under Instruction as Prob't's
		Total Claim inc. H'se Rent	Total Paid inc. H'se Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid								
Astoria	W. S. Gordon	$ 1800	$ 1800	$ 300	.....	$ 150	$ 150	$ 30	$ 30	$ 75	$ 75	$ 2055	.....	2	27	377	6	3	8
Clatskanie & Mayger	S. D Johnson	900	900	100	.....	80	80	16	16	40	40	1036	.....	3	17	230	.....	4	.....
Houlton & Warren	Sanford Snyder	400	283	80	117	32	22	6	4	9	6	315	$ 132	2	12	112	.....	.....	.....
Knappa & Svenson	J. C. Irwin	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Portland—Brentwood	W. L. Wilson	200	139	.....	61	20	8	4	.....	10	.....	147	87	2	8	68	3	.....	.....
Carson Heights	Wm. Maulden	58	58	.....	.....	3	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	61	.....	2	11	146	1	.....	.....
Centenary	T. W. Lane	3500	3500	500	.....	300	300	60	60	150	150	4010	.....	1	38	637	6	5	25
Central	C. C. Rarick	1600	1600	300	.....	130	130	26	26	65	65	1821	.....	2	43	470	9	15	.....
Clinton Kelly Memorial	J. W. Thompson	800	500	.....	300	80	25	16	5	40	20	550	386	1	14	194	6	9	8
Epworth	C. O. McCulloch	1160	1160	360	.....	80	80	16	16	24	24	1280	.....	1	14	289	1	5	.....
First Church	Frank L. Loveland	5000	5000	1000	.....	400	400	80	80	150	150	5630	.....	1	56	1306	7	22	.....
Laurelwood	C. R. Carlos	1300	1300	300	.....	100	100	15	15	30	30	1445	.....	1	20	220	5	9	.....
Lincoln	G. G. Haley	400	441	.....	.....	40	40	8	.....	20	8	488	21	1	10	75	.....	.....	.....
Linnton	S. H. Dewart	480	480	120	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	480	.....	1	10	80	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Tabor	E. O. Eldridge	1580	1580	180	.....	180	180	28	28	70	70	1858	.....	1	23	313	.....	4	11
Montavilla	W. H. Hampton	1200	1030	200	170	100	50	20	18	50	45	1143	227	1	31	258	.....	11	4
Patton	Geo. H. Feese	1340	1340	240	.....	110	110	22	22	55	55	1527	.....	1	19	299	1	5	.....
Rose City Park	W. W. Youngson	1650	1650	360	.....	129	129	24	24	65	65	1868	.....	1	37	379	3	13	.....
Sellwood	A. R. Maclean	1500	1500	250	.....	125	125	25	25	62	62	1712	.....	1	35	480	15	11	.....
St. Johns	W. E. Ingalls	1000	1000	200	.....	80	80	16	16	40	40	1136	.....	1	33	284	6	8	.....
Sunnyside	Robert E. Smith	2500	2500	400	.....	210	210	31	31	63	63	2804	.....	1	50	915	15	20	.....
Trinity	A. B. Calder	900	832	200	68	70	63	14	13	35	31	939	80	1	14	92	1	4	.....
University Park	C. L. Hamilton	1300	1300	300	.....	100	100	20	20	30	30	1450	.....	1	22	317	22	4	.....
Westmoreland	C. B. Harrison	300	350	.....	.....	30	30	6	6	15	15	401	.....	1	12	167	.....	4	5
Woodlawn	W. E. Kloster	1100	1100	200	.....	90	90	16	16	24	24	1230	.....	1	16	225	6	3	.....
Woodstock	Frank James	920	920	120	.....	80	80	16	16	40	40	1056	.....	1	25	268	4	2	.....
Rainier & Hudson	A. S. Mulligan	875	875	150	.....	72	72	14	14	36	36	997	.....	1	14	189	4	1	3
Seaside	C. M. VanMarter	1000	1000	100	.....	90	90	18	10	36	20	1120	24	1	24	174	11	7	.....
St. Helens	F. N. Sandifur	1200	1200	.....	.....	100	100	20	20	50	50	1370	.....	1	23	313	.....	3	.....
Warrenton & Hammond	Alfred Bates	400	400	.....	.....	40	40	6	6	20	5	451	15	3	16	166	.....	.....	.....
Total		$37363	$35738	$ 5960	$ 716	$ 3021	$ 2887	$ 573	$ 537	$ 1304	$ 1226	$40380	$ 972	38	674	9043	132	172	64
Increase from 1915		2139	616	140	311	120	9	32	18	14	.....	549	486	3	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Decrease from 1915		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	106	.....	.....	.....	22	255	55	.....	12

DISCIPLINARY BENEVOLENCES

NAME OF CHARGE	MISSIONS: Bd. For. Mis. Church	Bd. For. Mis. Special Gifts	Bd. For. Mis. Sunday Sc.	B.H.M.-C.E. Church	B.H.M.-C.E. Special Gifts	B.H.M.-C.E. Sunday Sc.	Freedmen's Aid Society	Education: B of Ed. Public Ed. Collection	Education: B of Ed. Children's Fund	Education: Conference Ed. Collection	Bd.S.S. Church	Bd.S.S. Sunday School (Total)	Con. Claimts: Board of Con. Clts., Chicago	Con. Claimts: Annual Con. Investments	Church Temperance Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	W.H.M. Society: Cash	W.H.M. Society: Supplies	American Bible Society	City Mis. or Ch. Ex. Society	Central Office Ex. Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Other Benevolences: Laymen's Association	Willamette Endowment	Gen. Deaconess Bd.	Other Benevolences	Total Benevolences	Other Items: Support of Conference Claimants	Support of Bishop Episcopal Fund	General Conference Expenses	Grand Total
Astoria	133	46	18	113	....	18	23	12	2	45	9	9	....	2	4	71	....	....	8	....	2	....	515	2500	....	....	500	3516	75	30	5	3626
Clatskanie & Mayger	28	....	19	21	....	19	7	15	....	....	2	5	....	....	2	20	....	....	2	....	1	....	141	5	....	1	73	220	40	16	....	276
Houlton & Warren	4	....	2	4	....	2	1	....	1	....	....	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	16	....	....	....	....	16	6	4	....	26
Knappa & Svenson	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Portland—Brentwood	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	3	....	6	....	....	....	6
Carson Heights	7	....	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	11	....	....	....	....	11	....	....	....	11
Centenary	335	222	50	418	....	50	85	13	6	75	25	20	....	20	16	459	304	....	15	5	4	....	2122	....	....	2	1195	3319	150	60	50	3579
Central	86	110	46	170	....	....	27	47	7	....	19	4	....	15	6	174	92	....	9	....	4	....	816	7	....	3	368	1194	65	26	....	1285
Clinton Kelly M'l	15	....	....	12	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	30	....	....	....	11	41	20	5	....	66
Epworth	42	....	13	40	....	12	4	....	3	....	5	....	....	....	2	17	....	....	1	170	....	....	309	....	....	....	53	362	24	16	....	402
First Church	400	15	50	100	....	25	55	....	30	....	25	10	....	....	....	543	30	....	5	50	....	....	1338	....	....	....	1972	3310	150	80	....	3540
Laurelwood	35	....	15	40	....	15	4	10	....	....	....	5	....	15	4	....	72	....	2	....	....	....	217	....	....	1	....	218	30	15	4	267
Lincoln	5	....	....	6	....	....	1	....	....	2	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	16	....	....	....	....	16	8	....	....	24
Linnton	....	....	3	....	....	4	....	....	5	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	13	....	....	....	....	13	7	....	....	20
Mt. Tabor	142	12	10	125	....	10	23	8	3	....	16	2	....	5	4	610	500	....	8	....	....	....	1475	....	....	....	55	1531	70	28	....	1649
Montavilla	63	....	12	61	....	11	12	35	5	....	10	2	....	....	4	68	60	....	3	....	1	....	372	....	....	....	43	415	45	18	1	479
Patton	10	....	4	20	....	4	....	....	4	....	....	5	....	....	....	103	....	....	....	....	....	....	150	....	....	....	42	192	55	22	....	269
Rose City Park	62	160	....	54	....	....	9	23	....	....	7	....	....	....	10	85	....	....	3	....	....	....	413	5	....	5	6	429	65	24	....	518
Sellwood	134	195	13	117	....	13	20	8	7	5	2	13	....	5	5	147	156	....	6	....	5	....	851	....	....	1	108	960	62	25	....	1047
St. Johns	69	25	23	57	....	23	14	5	11	24	....	5	....	....	6	....	78	....	5	39	3	....	387	5	....	2	47	441	40	16	....	497
Sunnyside	150	25	11	150	10	11	8	10	3	....	6	5	....	....	5	322	77	....	2	....	....	....	795	....	....	....	407	1202	63	31	5	1301
Trinity	29	61	7	28	....	6	2	2	1	20	3	1	....	1	3	39	62	....	2	200	....	....	467	1	....	1	....	469	31	13	....	513
University Park	27	....	8	26	....	8	5	5	5	....	5	6	....	....	2	8	19	....	1	....	....	....	120	4	....	....	3	127	30	20	....	177
Westmoreland	12	....	2	10	....	2	2	5	5	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	41	....	....	....	....	41	15	6	....	62
Woodlawn	35	....	....	35	....	....	3	4	4	10	4	....	6	....	1	....	....	....	2	....	2	....	100	....	....	1	155	256	24	16	....	296
Woodstock	49	67	13	43	....	13	9	15	11	....	5	8	....	1	2	29	....	....	3	....	2	1	278	3	....	1	26	308	40	16	....	364
Rainier & Hudson	48	....	10	45	....	....	7	20	....	....	....	8	....	....	2	1	1	....	2	....	1	....	145	2	....	1	25	173	36	14	....	223
Seaside	20	5	10	10	....	10	2	....	6	....	....	6	....	....	....	....	23	....	1	....	....	....	93	....	....	....	....	93	20	10	....	123
St. Helens	56	....	3	51	....	3	9	7	5	15	3	4	....	2	2	....	4	....	3	....	2	....	169	5	....	1	42	217	50	20	....	287
Warrenton & Ham'nd	....	....	5	....	....	6	3	....	....	....	....	3	5	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	24	....	....	....	4	28	5	6	....	39
Total	1996	943	347	1756	10	271	335	244	127	196	149	125	11	66	82	2696	1478	....	85	464	27	1	11427	2537	....	23	5135	19124	1226	537	65	20972
Increase from 1915	....	206	....	....	10	98	....	....	....	196	35	....	....	....	12	514	513	57	4	....	....	....	....	2105	....	23	....	....	....	....	18	....	....
Decrease from 1915	72	....	390	183	....	....	10	392	5	....	....	67	41	66	....	....	....	....	....	533	11	6	133	....	2408	....	7697	8108	86	....	50	8206

NAME OF CHARGE	Prob't's		Full Members																	
	Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preachers	Deaths During Year	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid Bldgs., Imps., on Ch's and Par'ges	Paid on Old Indebt-edn'ss on Ch's & Par.	Present Indebted'ss on Ch's and Par'ges	Current Ex's., Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Paid This Year	Balance Due for the Quadrennium
Amity	9	3	171	10	....	3	40	....	1	2500	1	600	....	....	....	120	....	....	....
Ballston	1	3	80	21	....	....	36	....	3	2700	....	....	15	....	....	12	....	....	....
Banks	7	....	54	10	....	1	20	35	2	2500	1	1000	75	....	60	45	....	....	....
Beaverton	1	5	58	26	....	2	....	....	2	4700	1	1600	125	115	50	67	....	....	....
Brooks	....	....	113	....	....	1	20	....	2	1600	1	500	163	....	....	45	....	....	....
Canby	23	1	95	21	....	1	22	....	1	11000	1	1000	80	45	5500	183	....	....	....
Clackamas and Oswego	2	7	66	15	1	....	70	....	2	4000	1	1500	100	....	....	68	....	1	....
Cornelius	5	4	75	10	....	1	44	....	1	1000	1	600	....	....	....	82	....	1	....
Dallas	15	....	194	65	....	1	72	....	1	4500	1	1500	....	725	....	175	....	....	....
Dayton	5	2	111	25	....	3	....	....	3	6400	1	2500	102	....	500	171	....	....	....
Dilley and Carlton	....	....	20	3	1	....	9	....	1	1000	1	500	32	....	....	50	....	....	....
Estacada	4	2	96	14	1	....	....	....	4	6800	1	1500	1800	....	....	87	....	....	....
Fairview	4	5	42	3	....	1	18	....	4	4600	2	1000	60	....	....	35	....	....	....
Falls City	1	....	94	20	....	....	36	50	1	1500	1	600	....	200	....	75	....	....	....
Forest Grove	5	4	352	45	1	1	56	40	1	17500	1	4250	100	350	2200	335	19	....	....
Gresham	3	3	116	12	3	2	40	....	1	5700	1	1600	52	....	....	149	....	2	....
Hillsboro	31	6	177	12	....	5	20	50	1	9000	1	1000	1575	....	....	226	....	....	....
Lafayette	....	13	82	22	2	....	49	....	2	2400	1	1700	50	....	....	80	....	....	....
Lents	3	....	169	80	2	5	48	....	1	2000	....	....	35	....	....	125	....	....	....
Liberty	6	6	64	7	....	....	23	....	2	1775	....	....	....	....	488	45	....	1	....
Marquam and Hubbard	18	15	80	10	....	....	....	....	3	5500	1	1100	....	....	....	60	....	....	....
McMinnville	14	1	264	67	1	4	67	....	1	7000	1	1200	50	211	....	250	....	....	....
Metzger	....	....	93	17	....	....	....	....	2	3160	....	....	360	300	500	68	....	....	....
Mollalla	4	8	92	10	1	....	24	....	4	7000	1	1300	40	....	100	141	....	2	....
Nehalem	4	2	74	2	....	....	35	10	4	6400	1	1500	21	....	734	85	....	....	....
Newberg	5	1	289	10	3	4	68	....	1	4000	1	1500	195	....	....	313	....	....	....
North Plains	....	....	7	....	....	....	....	....	2	2500	....	....	....	300	50	10	....	....	....
Oregon City	10	10	303	12	2	3	71	25	1	46500	....	....	231	1000	9500	762	....	....	....
Oak Grove	1	1	37	10	1	....	....	....	1	4000	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Pleasant Home and Boring	....	....	63	....	3	....	....	....	3	4600	1	900	100	....	200	15	....	....	....
Salem—First Church	20	9	978	143	7	13	80	36	1	34000	1	6000	289	1078	3500	1932	....	....	....
Jason Lee Memorial	4	....	168	45	1	....	33	30	1	20000	....	....	....	1280	6800	192	....	....	....
Leslie	17	5	217	6	....	2	45	30	2	12000	1	1500	....	225	1800	212	....	....	....
West Salem	....	1	55	12	1	1	....	....	2	2700	1	2000	54	....	....	50	....	....	....
Sandy	....	....	65	....	2	....	23	....	3	5300	....	....	....	....	....	127	....	....	....
Scholls and Farmington	5	10	57	11	1	1	....	....	1	1200	1	1000	865	....	135	40	....	....	....
Sheridan	2	7	176	27	....	2	20	....	1	2000	1	2000	34	200	800	101	....	....	....
Silverton	....	....	105	15	....	....	....	....	1	5000	1	1500	1	....	....	200	....	....	....
Stayton	4	3	69	14	....	2	15	13	1	3000	1	1000	135	....	....	70	....	....	....
Tillamook	....	....	120	5	2	2	15	....	1	2500	1	2000	....	175	2500	256	....	....	....
Tualatin	....	....	30	....	....	....	....	....	1	2500	....	....	....	....	300	50	....	....	....
Viola	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Willamina	9	9	99	6	....	....	....	....	2	2800	1	900	100	....	....	60	....	....	....
Wilsonville and Willamette	30	27	101	....	....	3	60	....	3	7500	....	....	2086	62	820	106	....	....	....
Woodburn	8	6	340	39	3	9	80	25	1	5000	1	1600	235	....	....	390	....	....	....
Yamhill	16	....	102	2	1	1	30	10	2	3500	1	500	220	....	....	100	....	....	....
Total	296	179	6213	884	40	74	1289	354	81	292835	35	50450	9380	6266	36537	7765	19	7	....
Increase from 1915	....	....	35	6	11	6	....	....	....	....	1	....	2775	....	469	32	....	....	....
Decrease from 1915	39	57	....	....	....	....	37	....	1	1465	....	3050	....	3485	....	....	....	....	....

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT: Support of Pastor: Total Claim including House Rent	Total Paid including House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Support of District Superint't: Claim	Paid	Support of Bishops: Claim	Paid	Support of Conference Claimants: Claim	Paid	Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Sunday Schools: Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments	BAPTISMS: Adults Baptized	Children Baptized	Baptized Children Under Instruction as Probationers
Amity	G. O. Oliver	1150	1150	150	....	90	90	20	20	50	50	1310	....	1	18	168	4	....	....
Ballston	J. W. Warrell	480	480	....	....	43	43	24	9	9	24	556	....	3	20	121	2	5	10
Banks	B. A. Bristol	675	375	75	300	54	27	12	6	30	15	423	348	1	15	155	5	4	....
Beaverton	G. A. Gray	825	700	100	125	65	54	14	10	36	24	788	152	3	22	198	2	1	....
Brooks	F. M. Jasper	395	395	33	....	32	32	7	7	10	10	444	....	3	32	197	2	1	....
Canby	W. Boyd Moore	1050	900	150	150	81	67	18	14	27	22	1003	173	1	17	209	14	3	....
Clackamas and Oswego	J. F. Coleman	760	600	100	160	68	54	15	12	38	30	696	185	5	41	221	....	1	....
Cornelius	J. G. Crozier	700	700	100	....	54	54	12	12	18	18	784	....	1	10	156	....	5	4
Dallas	G. H. Bennett	1400	1400	200	....	108	108	22	22	32	32	1562	....	1	18	313	10	2	....
Dayton	M. A. Marcy	925	894	200	31	65	63	14	14	36	35	1006	34	2	24	117	2	2	2
Dilley and Carlton	G. A. Jahn	300	215	45	85	27	16	6	2	9	2	235	96	1	10	102	....	....	....
Estacada	Henry Spiess	800	740	150	60	72	66	13	14	26	36	856	79	4	26	196	2	....	....
Fairview	B. C. Brewster	360	307	60	53	27	16	5	....	9	....	323	78	4	23	176	....	2	....
Falls City	W. J. Warren	500	468	100	32	36	33	8	7	12	11	519	37	2	17	197	....	1	1
Forest Grove	R. E. Dunlap	1610	1610	360	....	112	112	25	25	63	63	1810	....	1	29	525	2	6	8
Gresham	A. C. Brackenberry	1180	1180	180	....	90	90	20	20	50	50	1340	....	1	24	198	....	3	3
Hillsboro	R. E. Myers	1200	1200	200	....	90	90	20	20	50	50	1360	....	1	15	190	21	....	....
Lafayette	C. W. Comstock	830	830	180	....	58	58	13	13	32	32	933	....	2	19	216	....	....	8
Lents	W. R. F. Browne	1000	846	138	154	79	49	17	3	44	13	911	229	1	26	275	1	6	....
Liberty	Wm. Nicholl	400	326	....	74	36	29	8	6	12	10	371	85	2	23	172	4	....	....
Marquam and Hubbard	Thomas Acheson	698	698	48	....	58	59	13	13	20	20	790	790	4	25	260	5	1	....
McMinnville	D. Lester Fields	1400	1400	200	....	108	108	24	24	38	38	1570	....	1	20	432	18	5	....
Metzger	S. J. Kester	525	525	....	....	47	47	8	8	15	15	595	....	3	22	203	....	1	....
Mollalla	C. E. Curtis	625	630	100	....	47	47	10	10	16	16	703	....	4	39	284	1	....	4
Nehalem	E. M. Smith	820	820	120	....	63	63	10	10	21	21	914	....	4	23	140	5	1	....
Newberg	H. Gould	1200	1157	200	43	90	86	20	19	50	47	1309	50	1	30	256	4	1	....
North Plains	C. B. Rees	....	56	....	....	....	6	....	1	....	2	65	....	1	7	83	....	....	....
Oregon City	J. K. Hawkins	1250	1278	188	....	112	112	25	25	62	62	1477	....	1	33	425	9	9	8
Oak Grove	Dow DeLong	576	424	76	152	45	9	10	....	25	8	441	215	1	19	185	....	1	....
Pleasant Home and Boring	C. M. Brown	586	520	66	66	41	41	6	6	16	16	583	66	3	19	135	....	....	....
Salem—First Church	R. N. Avison	2900	2900	500	....	216	216	48	48	120	120	3284	....	1	40	480	9	1	36
Jason Lee Memorial	J. M. Brown	1000	1000	200	....	72	72	16	16	40	40	1128	....	1	19	302	2	4	....
Leslie	J. C. Spencer	1092	1092	192	....	81	81	18	18	45	45	1236	....	1	24	311	8	1	....
West Salem	T. D. Yarnes	550	550	....	....	40	40	9	9	23	23	622	....	3	30	112	....	....	....
Sandy	L. W. Chandler	572	332	....	240	45	23	10	5	25	13	373	279	4	30	170	....	....	....
Scholls and Farmington	M. M. Reid	700	700	100	....	54	54	12	6	18	12	772	12	2	15	205	2	1	....
Sheridan	C. L. Dark	1100	1100	200	....	81	81	18	18	27	27	1226	....	1	15	233	2	3	2
Silverton	J. H. Irvine	875	815	175	60	63	58	14	12	28	24	909	67	1	18	200	....	4	....
Stayton	E. B. Lockhart	720	720	120	....	60	60	12	3	18	10	793	17	1	11	80	1	....	....
Tillamook	E. Gittins	1400	1254	200	146	108	94	24	21	36	36	1405	163	1	15	148	....	7	....
Tualatin	H. P. Blake	200	200	....	....	18	15	....	....	6	1	216	6	1	6	42	....	2	....
Viola	R. D. Cady	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Willamina	J. S. Moore	425	425	72	....	38	38	8	8	12	12	483	....	2	24	249	....	....	....
Wilsonville and Willamette	G. R. Abbott	425	454	....	....	38	38	8	8	13	13	513	....	3	25	230	18	9	....
Woodburn	L. C. Poor	1400	1400	200	....	108	108	24	24	36	36	1648	....	2	33	350	7	8	....
Yamhill	Robert Brymer	944	944	144	....	72	72	16	16	40	40	1072	....	2	16	200	8	5	....

DISCIPLINARY BENOVELENCES

NAME OF CHARGE	MISSIONS							Education			Board of S. S.		Conf'ce Claims				W.H.M. Society							Other Benevol'ce					Other Items		
	Bd.For.Mis.			B.H.M.-C.E				Bd. Ed.																							
	Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Freedmen's Aid Society	Public Educ'l Coll.	Children's Fund	Conference Ed-ucat'al Collec'n	Church	SundaySch'ls (Total)	Bd. of Conf'ce Clai'ts (Chgo)	Annual Con'e Investments	Church Temperan'ce Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Cash	Supplies	American Bible Society	City Missionary or Ch. Ex. Society	Central Office Ex-penses, Epworth L.	Methodist Brother-hood Dues.	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Laymen's Association	Willamette Endowment	Gen. Deaconess Bd.	Other Benevolences	Total Benevolences	Support of Confer-ence Claimants	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	General Conference Expenses	Grand Total
Amity	76	15	10	65		10	13	32			10				2		11		5		2		251				23	274	50	20		344
Ballston	35		6	29		6	4	6	6		2	3		8	1	38	30		1		2		177	1			70	248	24	9		281
Banks	10		6	8		6	2	6	1			2			1	2			1		1		46					46	15	6		67
Beaverton	28		18	22		16	4		5	6		3			2				2				106	2		1	5	114	24	10		148
Brooks	36		5	30		5	4	9	1		3	1			1				1				96			1		97	10	7		114
Canby	35		5	28		2	5	10	5		5	5	7		2	14			1				124				25	149	22	14		185
Clackamas and Oswego	24		10	19		10	5	13	2			4		1	1	6			2		1		98	4		1	81	184	30	12	1	227
Cornelius	10	20	5	17		5	5	5	2			2	5		1				2				79				95	174	18	12	1	205
Dallas	38	30		38			6	12			5			21	4	92	43		2				291			1	58	350	32	22		404
Dayton	14		12	12		11	5	7	3		2	3			2				2				73				63	136	35	14		185
Dilley and Carlton	4			4						1	4				1				1				15					15	2	2		19
Estacada			23	5			3			3					1								35				10	45	36	14		95
Fairview					2				3						1								6					6				6
Falls City	2		7	2		7	2		2		5			1	1				2				31				31	62	11	7		80
Forest Grove	162	119	55	133		55	33	81	10		13	12			6	92	95		12		3		881			6	119	1006	63	25		1094
Gresham	55		9	30		9	14	8	4	26	11	2		5	3	103			5		2		284	5		1		290	50	20	2	362
Hillsboro	30		10	24		8	5	10	2		7	1			3	24			3				127				6	133	50	20		203
Lafayette	21		8	18		5	5	1	2			2			1								63			2		65	32	13		110
Lents	5		5	5		5	3		3			6			2	10			1		2		47	3		1	20	71	13	3		87
Liberty	7		5	6		4	2	1	2	4		1			1				1				34	2				36	10	6	1	53
Marquam and Hubbard	25		10	20		10	4	13	5		6			27	2				2				124				116	240	20	13		273
McMinnville	48	190	7	56		7	7	17	5		5	2			1	81	74		3		3		506	8			342	856	38	24		918
Metzger	10		6	8		4	3			1		1			1								34			1		35	15	8		58
Mollalla	21		5	18		3	5	21	3		5	4	2	2	2				3				94	3			69	166	16	10	2	194
Nehalem	30			20			5	6				6			1				2		1		71					71	21	10		102
Newberg	115	125	52	92		53	25	35	5	23	8	11			10	61	105		9		3		737			5	75	817	47	19		883
North Plains																													2	1		3
Oregon City	98	50	12	98		12	5	1	9		2	3			3	83	130		2		3		511				185	696	62	25		783
Oak Grove	12		5	10		5	2			6	1				1				2				44				35	79	8			87
Pl'sant Home & Boring	5		2	5			2								1								15					15	16	6		37
Salem—First Church	575	400	67	489		67	96	53	14	188	61	14		15	18	771	499		36		5		3368	80		12	1549	5009	120	48		5177
Jason Lee Memorial	15	50	2	14		2	5	7	4		5	4	1	1	1	29	55		2		1		198	8			13	219	40	16		275
Leslie	50		20	43		20	7	19	5		6	4			1	4	6		3		2		190			1	27	218	45	18		281
West Salem	20			18			3	4		6	3				1				1				56	1		1	6	64	23	9		96
Sandy	5		5	5		5	1					6			1						1		29				22	51	13	5		69
Scholls and Farmington	16			14			5	8	2		4				1				2				52					52	12	6		60
Sheridan	63		27	34		45	11	27	2	7	5	5			2				4		1		233	10		1	514	758	27	18		803
Silverton	25		5	21		5	7	5	6	3		5	2		2		68		2				156	4		1	23	184	24	12		220
Stayton			4			2	1	1	1		1	2							1				13	1		1	16	31	10	3		44
Tillamook	75		25	80			13		8	20	6	4	5	25	1				3		1		274			1		275	36	21		332
Tualatin	8	11	6	8		6	4		2				4		1				1				51				11	62	1			63
Viola	7			7						5													19					19				19
Wi'lamina	20		5	15		5	6	5			3	1							2				62				2	64	12	8		84
Wilsonville&Willamette	46			20		23	5	24	6			4			1				2		1		132				5	137	13	8		158
Woodburn	144		28	120		28	20	60	5		10	9			5	222	146		5				802	4			52	858	36	24		918
Yamhill	31		10	27		9	6	3	3	10		4		10	2	39			1		1		156				112	268	40	16		324
Pringle	1			1			1			1													4					4	1			5
Total	2057	1010	502	1738	2	475	369	510	138	315	198	136	26	114	96	1671	1262		132		36		10795	136		38	3780	14749	1225	564	7	16540
Increase from 1915	426	182	51	328	2	47	45			315	21		13		16	283			7		3		782			38	1308	877	42			810

LAYMEN'S ASSOCIATION OF THE OREGON CONFERENCE

The Laymen's Association of the Oregon Conference met for its twelfth annual session at the First Presbyterian Church at Lebanon, Oregon, at 9 A. M., September 29, 1916.

The meeting was called to order by President A. M. Hammer of Albany. The officers present were A. M. Hammer, President, and T. S. McDaniel, Corresponding Secretary. Burgess Ford of Jefferson, Oregon, was elected Secretary pro-tem.

After the exchange of greetings between the Laymen's Association and the Oregon Annual Conference, a joint session of the two bodies was held at 11:30 at the First Methodist Episcopal Church which was addressed by President A. M. Hammer for the Laymen's Association and by Dr. Edgar Blake, Secretary of the Methodist Episcopal Board of Sunday Schools for Bishop Matt. S. Hughes.

At the afternoon session the following officers were elected:

A. M. Hammer, President.
J. W. Day, Vice-President
B. L. Steeves, Vice-President.
J. S. Van Winkle, Vice-President.
H. L. Gilkey, Vice-President.
T. S. McDaniel, Corresponding Secretary.
E. A. Baker, Recording Secretary.
J. L. Hartman, Treasurer.

Also J. I. Jones was re-elected as Trustee of the Conference Claimants Permanent Endowment Fund of the Oregon Conference, term to expire in 1919; the other two members being Dr. Theo. Fessler, term expiring 1918, and A. F. Flegel, term expiring in 1917.

After extensive discussion the Association by unanimous vote pledged its co-operation to Dr. Carl G. Doney, President of Willamette University, in his campaign for a new girls' dormitory, for that institution.

The following is the disbursements by the Laymen's Association during the year last past:

Printing and Postage	$ 38.50
Pastors	105.00
Conference Claimants Endowment Fund	500.00
Churches and Parsonages	645.00
Willamette University	1,006.00
Kimball College of Theology	2,000.00
Conference Claimants Commission	1,416.00
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Ministerial	$1,300.00
Churches and Parsonages	593.00
Total	**$1,893.00**

Making a total for both Laymen's Association and City Church Extension Society of expenditures, $7,603.50.

Names of delegates present at the meeting of the Laymen's Association at Lebanon, Oregon, during the session of the Oregon Conference, 1916:

Albany, A. M. Hammer.
Bellfountain, L. N. Edwards.
Brownsville, B. H. Robertson, Charles Holloway.
Canby, M. J. Lee.
Centenary Church, Portland, Ida May DeWitt, Mrs. Theressa A. Brown.
Dundee, Mrs. G. A. Dearborn, Mrs. R. W. Swink.
Estacada, W. H. H. Wade.
Eugene, Mrs. A. R. Sweetser, Mrs. J. VanScoy.
First Church, Portland, W. A. Lindsey, T. S. McDaniel.
Forest Grove, Chas. A. Littler.
Harrisburg, R. C. Shisler, R. K. Burton.
Jefferson, Burgess F. Ford.
Liberty Church, Fred L. Scott.
Lowell, R. C. Edward, Ira D. Hyland.
McMinnville, LuEella Fields.
Medford, B. J. Palmer.
Montavilla Church, Portland, A. H. Nichols.
Newberg, Wesley M. Wire.
Oregon City, Mildred M. Stafford.
Patton Church, Portland, Mrs. G. F. Hopkins.
Roseburg, Mrs. A. C. Marsters.
Salem First Church, Geo. H. Alden.
Sheridan, Mrs. F. B. Sackett, F. B. Sackett, Mrs. C. L. Dark.
Springfield, Margaret Morris.
Simpson Chapel, Monroe, Robert Kyle.
Sunnyside, T. W. Tasker.
Tillamook, Fred S. Ford.
Turner, G. A. G. Moore, L. A. Moore.

The regular report of the proceedings as kept by the Recording Secretary failed to arrive in time for the publication of the minutes and the above brief record is hastily supplied by the Corresponding Secretary.

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